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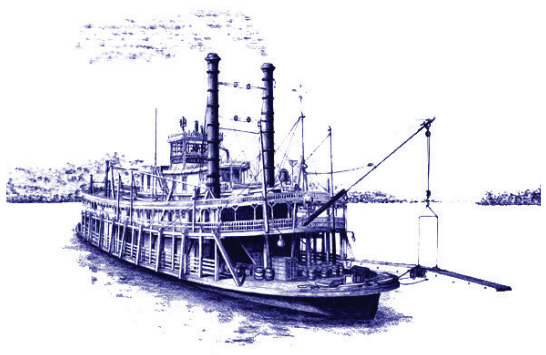

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Madison awarded $650K in road funds

BY BOB DEMAREE

The city of Madison was awarded $649,993 in state Community Crossings funds to make improvements to streets on Madison's hilltop and in downtown Madison.

Deputy Mayor Mindy McGee, had told city council in its most recent meeting, that the grants were scheduled to be awarded this week. On Wednesday the state did just that by awarding Madison $649,993 which will resulted in $1.3 million worth of road improvements after the city's 50% match.

"It is a 50% cost savings to include as the CCMG project as those projects included plans for sidewalks, curbs, gutters and paving," McGee said Thursday.

Streets included in the improvements include Blackmore Street from Bellaire to Highland, Second Street from Mulberry to Jefferson, Poplar Street from First to Vaughn Drive, and Mulberry Street from Main Street to Vaughn Drive. Also, Michigan Road will receive top shell or equivalent application and thermoplastic marking from West Street to Miles Ridge Road as part of the work.

"Several of the streets downtown were chosen based on condition as well as proximity to current infrastructure projects going on," said McGee. "Examples are Mulberry Street, Poplar Street parking lot/park area and around the old Ruler building and Chandler Hotel."

Meanwhile, Switzerland County was awarded $499,066.86 in Community Crossing funds which Highway Department Clerk Carla Armstrong said will be used for resurfacing 1.43 miles of Shiloh Road from State Road 250 to the end of the road, resurfacing one mile of Evans Hill Road from North Branch to one mile north, resurfacing 0.56 miles of Mathews Road from Long Run Road to the end of the road, and converting gravel asphalt to asphalt surface on 0.7 miles of Harlow Road from Bradford Road southeast.

A total of $112,326.75 was also awarded to the town of Vevay. Clerk-treasurer Brandi Scudder said the largest part of those funds will go for paving on Pike Street beginning in the area of the post office that she said is badly in need of repair, as well as paving on a couple of other streets. She said the town has a five-year plan in which the worst condition streets have been rated and priorized to be paved.

Statewide, Community Crossings awarded grants to 224 Indiana cities, towns and counties for a combined $133.4 million in matching funds for local road projects.

"The continued success of the Community Crossings program becomes more evident each year," said Indiana Gov. Eric Holcomb. "Improving transportation infrastructure at the most local level makes communities that much more attractive for business and Hoosier families alike to connect and grow."

Communities submitted applications for funding during a highly

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Hanging Rock closure pushing more traffic to Michigan Road

BY BOB DEMAREE

With Hanging Rock Hill closed during work to correct a slide, Madison Mayor Bob Courtney expressed hope at Monday's Board of Public Works and Safety meeting that the $2.9 million project can be completed earlier than the scheduled October completion date.

The Hanging Rock Hill portion of State Road 7 was closed last week, prompting BPWS board member Karl Eaglin to note that he's begun seeing more traffic on Michigan Road, especially in the afternoon when school is being dismissed from Anderson Elementary.

While the official detour by the Indiana Department of Transportation will follow Main Street to Clifty Hollow Road to State Road 62/Clifty Drive, many local motorists are using Michigan Road as an unofficial detour and more traffic is expected on US 421 from Main Street to State road 62.

INDOT confirmed in press release Monday that Hanging Rock Hill is anticipated to be closed through late October while the contractor, Paul H. Rohe Company Inc., completes work to stabilize the roadway and hillside with soil nails and shotcrete. Guardrail installation will follow.

"We're hopeful that the Hanging Rock Hill closure will actually go maybe until late July or early August instead of the end of October as they had announced," said Courtney. "They did start earlier and hopefully that's a good sign that they will be able to complete their work sooner."

In other business, the board:

• Approved a street closing on Mulberry Street between Main and Third streets on Saturday, June 3, for the River Roots

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Mires wins 112th Custer

Custer Contest contestants (from left) Preston Kuppler, Zoe Bullock, Mitchell Adams and Annie Zhang look to winner Mia Mires (right) and applaud after Sunday's 112th staging of the Madison Consolidated High school oratorical contest at at Opal E. Sherman Auditorium. Mires, the daughter of Theron and Jill Mires presented from "Fried Green Tomatoes at the Whistle Stop Cafe," by author Fannie Flagg. Her coach was Aaron Kelsey.

Zoe Bullock performs her presentation from the book, "The Lovely Bones," by author Alice Sebold. Bullock, the daughter of Adam and Lindsay Bullock, was runner-up of the 112th Custer Contest at Madison Consolidated High School on Sunday. She plans to attend the American Musical and Dramatic Academy in New York City where she will study musical theatre.

Zoe Bullock (left) and Annie Zhang (right) look on as Mia Mires delivers her presentation from "Fried Green Tomatoes at the Whistle Stop Cafe." Mires, who plans to attend the American Musical and Dramatic Academy in New York City where she will study dance, won the annual oratorical competition at Madison Consolidated High School and the scholarship that goes to the winner.

Madison Theatre to stage 'Xanadu'

BY BOB DEMAREE

This weekend, Madison Consolidated High School's Madison Theatre will present "Xanadu" the roller disco musical with lots of music and fun.

For "Xanadu" leads Clint Hearne, as Sonny Malone, and Andie Royce, as Kira, there's more to the roles than learning lines — they also need to know how to skate.

"Originally we thought we'd do the whole cast in roller skates but realized that was going to be too much," said Director Aaron Kelsey, so the decision was made to leave the skating to the two leads.

"This was very new to both of us," said Royce, who has been training since December to learn how to skate. "I was very nervous at first because it was just terrifying. But now I'm a lot more comfortable with it, and Clint is always" there to help.

While Hearne has performed in past Madison Theatre productions, this is the first time he's been the male lead. "I'm having a blast being the lead," he said, but adding that he's had to work toward getting more confident with singing, which he said has "been a struggle because I've been nervous singing, but I've persevered."

The musical is based on the 1980 movie that starred Olivia Newton-John, but Kelsey said the play doesn't exactly follow the film's script. "It's tongue-in-cheek and makes fun of the movie a little bit, but lovingly."

"Xanadu" opened as a musical on Broadway in In 2007.

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Madison among 35 school districts targeted by email bomb threat

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Madison Consolidated Schools was among 35 school districts that received an email threat regarding a potential bomb placed in a school, resulting in administrators shifting to a corporate wide virtual learning day on Friday, April 14.

Later in the day, after a visual sweep of all buildings and grounds, it was determined that no immediate threat was located in or around the schools.

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JEFFERSON COUNTY JAIL

LODGINGS

April 15, 2023

Jeffrey Dwain Adams, 50, Madison, for Possession of Methamphetamine, a Level 4 felony; Maintaining a Common Nuisance, a Level 6 felony; Resisting Law Enforcement, a Class A misdemeanor; and Possession of Paraphernalia, a Class C misdemeanor. No bond

Cesar Caroles-Perez, 30, no address listed, for Operating a Vehicle Without Evert Obtaining a License, a Class A misdemeanor; Possession of Marijuana, a Class B misdemeanor; Possession of Paraphernalia, a Class C misdemeanor; and on a misdemeanor arrest warrant by Clark County, Indiana, for failure to appear. Bond $500 in Jefferson County and no bond for Clark County.

Dustin Paul Furnish, 39, Aurora, Indiana, on a Level 6 felony parole hold warrant (domestic battery and strangulation) for Ohio County, Indiana. No bond.

Patricia D. Lowe, 53, Scottville, Kentucky, for Possession of Methamphetamine, a Level 5 felony; and Unlawful Possession or Use of a Legend Drug, a Level 6 felony. No bond.

Eusebio Carlos Perez, 32, Madison, to hold on an unspecified warrant for Jennings County (traffic violations). No bond.

April 16, 2023

Tyler Wayne Dukes, 34, Madison, for Battery Against a Public Safety Official, a Level 5 felony; Resisting Law Enforcement, a Level 6 felony; and Battery Against a Public Safety Official, a Class A misdemeanor. No bond.

Justin Tyler Riley, 22, Madison, on a Jefferson County bench warrant. Bond $10,000 cash.

Russell Matthew Sentell, 36, Hanover, for Domestic Battery, a Level 5 felony. No bond.

JEFFERSON COUNTY SUPERIOR/ CIRCUIT COURT

SENTENCINGS

(Editor's Note: Due to a problem in how The Madison Courier receives court reports, publication has been delayed for some sentencing hearings.)

April 6, 2023

Eloy Salinas, 61, homeless, to amended charge of Possession of Methamphetamine, a Level 5 felony. Sentenced to 4 years at Indiana Department of Correction with credit for 227 days served and 1,233 days suspended for supervised probation plus $885 in fees and court costs.

Shelby L. Geisler, 25, Madison, to amended charge of Possession of Methamphetamine, a Level 6 felony. Sentenced to 365 days at Indiana Department of Correction with credit for 10 days served and 355 days suspended for supervised probation plus $685 in fees and court costs. Upon successful completion of probation, defendant may petition for reduction of judgment to Class A Misdemeanor.

John Thomas Clark, 32, Hanover, to amended charge of Unlawful Possession of a Firearm by a Serious Violent Felon, a Level 4 felony. Sentenced to 6 years at Indiana Department of Correction, 5 executed, with credit for 657 days served and 1 year suspended for supervised probation plus $385 in fees and court costs.

April 10, 2023

Terry J. Duncan, 61, Madison, for Theft, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to 365 days jail with credit for zero days served and 365 days suspended for probation plus $285 in fees and court costs.

Nelson Nopal Rubio, 23, Hanover, for Knowingly or Intentionally Operating a Motor Vehicle Without Ever Receiving a License, a Class C misdemeanor. Sentenced to 180 days jail, all suspended, plus $300.50 in fees and court costs.

April 11, 2023

Daniel Alexander Stitzel, 29, Sanders, Kentucky, for Possession of Methamphetamine-2 Counts, both Level 6 felonies. Sentenced to 900 days at Indiana Department of Correction on each count, with credit for 4 days served and 896 days suspended, consecutive, for supervised probation plus $885 in fees and court costs.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

JEFFERSON COUNTY

April 13, 2023

Trevor McKinzie Mathis to Susan K. Smith-Hart, 5.82 acres at 7404 South Leslie Lane, Lexington.

Carol Adcock and James W. Adcock (deceased) to Carol Adcock, 211 Shandy Nook, Hanover.

Mark E. Gayle to AFB Properties LLC, 8.416 acres at 8231 West State Road 256, Deputy.

Liters of Indiana Inc. and Liter's of Indiana Inc. to Phillips Development Inc., a .313-acre tract at 3195 South River Bluff Drive, Hanover.

Joseph D. Halcomb, Susan Halcomb and J&S Halcomb Properties LLC to James L. Parks and Margaret A. Fuller-Parks, 2551 Franks Road, Madison.

David Wilson and Amber Wilson toBrett Durham and Kyrstien Durham, 3130 East Stephan Lane, Madison.

William L. Eccles to Ashley Lee, 2429 Michigan Road, Madison.

April 14, 2023

Roy Srymanske and Scarlett Cameron-Haws to Sophie Mouser and Kyle Rambo, 2972 South River Bluff Drive, Hanover.

Randy E. Greves and Mary L. Greves to Randall E. Greves and Mary L. Greves (trustees), Randall Greves and Mary Greves (revocable trust) and Randall E. Greves and Mary L. Greves (life estate), 597 Hickory Drive, Hanover.

Randy E. Greves and Mary L. Greves to Randall E. Greves and Mary L. Greves (trustees), Randall Greves and Mary Greves (revocable trust) and Randall E. Greves and Mary L. Greves (life estate), 646 Hickory Driver, Hanover, 105 North Sycamore Driver, Hanover and 2389 Woods Edge Drive, Hanover.

Lawsuit filed in death of Jackson inmate in isolation 20 days

BROWNSTOWN — A man with a history of mental illness died after 20 days locked away, naked, in a windowless, isolation cell at a southern Indiana jail, where he lost nearly 45 pounds and didn't receive necessary care, a federal lawsuit alleges.

The lawsuit was filed Wednesday by the estate of Joshua McLemore, who died in August 2021 of multiple organ failure after being incarcerated at the Jackson County Jail in Brownstown.

In July 2021, the 29-year-old Seymour, Indiana, man was taken to a hospital after a building maintenance worker found McLemore at his apartment, lying on the floor, naked and confused. Police arrested him at the hospital for pulling a nurse's hair while in a state of psychosis, and he was charged with battery, according to court records.

The lawsuit filed over Joshua McLemore's death is similar to the case of a mentally ill man who froze to death earlier this year at an Alabama jail.

McLemore was placed in the jail's isolation cell, where four guards pinned him against a wall and forced him to his knees, with his face wedged into the corner of a concrete wall, according to video surveillance, The Indianapolis Star reported.

The lawsuit alleges that McLemore's constitutional rights were violated while he was in isolation at the jail, a period during which he barely slept. Instead, he spent hours staring into space, screaming, laughing, talking, gesticulating, sitting up and lying down, often covered in his own waste, it alleges.

No mental health professional or physician checked on McLemore, even as jail officials witnessed clear signs of mental illness, the suit alleges.

McLemore ate and drank little of what the jail staff slipped through a slot in his cell door, the suit states, and he instead threw the meals on the floor and sometimes nibbled on the Styrofoam boxes packaging the food.

He weighed 197.8 pounds (89.7 kilograms) when he arrived at the Jackson County Jail on July 20, 2021, but when he left the jail in an ambulance on Aug. 8, 2021, he weighed just 153 pounds (69.4 kilograms), after losing nearly 45 pounds (20.4 kilograms) in less than three weeks in the jail, according to the suit.

He died of multiple organ failure two days later.

McLemore, who had a history of schizophrenia and substance abuse, was raised in Long Beach, Mississippi, and moved to Indiana in late 2020. He deteriorated in clear view of jail officials and security cameras but jailers showed neglect and "deliberate indifference" to his wellbeing, keeping him in solitary confinement for 24 hours a day, seven days a week, the suit alleges.

"Nobody deserves to be treated like that," said Seattle attorney Hank Balson, who represents McLemore's estate. "Nobody deserves to be ignored when they're suffering in that kind of condition."

Jackson County Prosecutor Jeff Chalfant determined last summer, nearly a year after McLemore died, that the actions by jail officials did not rise to the level of a crime. But the prosecutor also found that McLemore "most likely died due to a prolonged lack of attention" from the jail staff.

The suit names as defendants Jackson County Sheriff Rick Meyer, other jail supervisors and medical staff, and Advanced Correctional Healthcare, Inc., a Tennessee-based private contractor that provides healthcare services to the Jackson County Jail and about 370 other correctional facilities in 21 states.

A message seeking comment on the lawsuit from the sheriff's office was left Thursday by The Associated Press.

"We take criticisms of the care provided by our team seriously. We are prohibited from disclosing patient information due to federal HIPAA privacy and confidentiality laws," said Jessica Young, president and chief executive of Advanced Correctional Healthcare in a statement.

The lawsuit filed over McLemore's death is similar to the case of a mentally ill man who froze to death earlier this year at an Alabama jail. In a lawsuit filed in February, that man's family alleges that the 33-year-old was kept naked in a concrete cell, and also possibly placed in a freezer or other frigid environment.

In December, almost a year and a half after McLemore died, Joshua's mother Rhonda died unexpectedly.

"Josh was my sister's only child. His loss devastated her," Lita Ladner, Joshua McLemore's aunt, said in a statement. "He was also my only nephew, and a devoted friend to many. Even though he struggled with mental health issues, we loved him with all our hearts."

THREAT

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very appreciative of the swift response and efforts of our local law enforcement," said MCS Superintendent Dr. Teresa Brown on Friday. "Today's events were certainly not expected. The quick, proactive efforts of our local, regional, and state law enforcement agencies and emergency responders were appreciated. We are very grateful for their leadership, assistance, and presence. I also appreciated our school staff's commitment to helping secure the school sites. The partnership between multiple agencies and MCS demonstrated our collective commitment to working together for the safety of our students."

MCS Safety Coordinator and School Resource Officer Jacob McVey said the threat is still under investigation.

"We will continue to monitor the situation with local and state authorities," McVey said. "We are thankful all campuses were cleared and we hope that these types of situations continue to be 'false alarms'. Our district safety team meets regularly to review policy and procedures, debrief situations such as our recent lockdown, and adjust where we see the need. As situations arise, we are always thankful for the partnership we have with other law enforcement agencies. We will continue to work closely with all necessary agencies to make decisions based on the available information at the time with a focus on overall safety for our students and staff."

Evening activities were resumed later on Friday with the Rykers' Ridge Elementary School Spring Fling Fair going on as planned for that date, along with high school baseball and softball games.

CLOSURE

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Revival. Also, street closings were approved for the Madison Regatta Waterball Fight on Main Street between Poplar and Elm streets and Broadway Street between Second and Third streets on Tuesday, June 27.

• Approved final awards of $12,500 for the second half of PACE dilapidated structure grants to Marcus Chad Gray at 124 East St. and Melissa Lee Miller at 315 East Fourth St. However, release of the check to Miller is contingent on completion of exterior painting.

Approved a PACE midpoint award of $12,500 to Madison Unlimited LLC for 526 Walnut St. on a dilapidated structure grant. Courtney said the work on that structure "is very transformative. If not been for their investment that property probably would have had another destination." A PACE midpoint award of $3,750 also was approved to Steward Hizey for 768 West Third St. to do work on windows and siding.

• State Revolving Fund Disbursements were approved for the city's water infrastructure project including $176,499 to Dave O'Mara Contracting for the water treatment plant, $19,000 to M.W. Cole Construction for the water storage tanks, $511,144 to Brackney Inc. for water main replacements and $41,789 to Commonwealth Engineers.

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Temperature: High 56, Low 34, Mean 50.0, Deficit 4.6
Precipitation since last published: .09
Precipitation, April 2023: 2.10
Precipitation, 2023: 18.41
Barometer: 29.66, Rising
River Level at Clifty Creek: 422.4, Rising
Forecast: Wednesday: Partly cloudy High 79/Low 56; Thursday: Partly cloudy High 80/Low 58; Friday: Showers High 66/Low 49.

BIRTHDAYS

Editor's Note: Got a birthday or anniversary coming up? Send name, date and number of years (optional) to zelda@madisoncourier.com or call 812-265-3641. Please leave your name and phone number in case we have followup questions.

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Randy Crutchfield

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Rick Berry

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LOTTERY

INDIANA
Hoosier Lotto:
April 15 — 3-5-6-19-20-39. Next Estimated Jackpot: $15 million. Next Drawing (4/19).

Cash Five: 7-8-11-30-31 (4/16)
Cash 4 Life: 22-37-44-45-48
CB: 2 (4/16)

KENTUCKY
Cash Ball: 8-13-14-32
CB: 18 (4/16)

Kentucky 5 Extra:
4-10-18-33-39 (4/16)
Lucky For Life: (4/16)
6-21-29-34-47 (LB: 18)

POWERBALL
1-33-34-56-59 PB: 18, PP: 3 (4/15). Next Estimated Jackpot: $235 million. Next Drawing (4/17)

MEGAMILLIONS
23-27-41-48-51 MB: 22, MP x2 (4/14). Next Jackpot: $420 million. Next Drawing (4/18)

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OBITUARIES

Bethe Beaver and Ricky Beaver

Elizabethe Anne "Bethe" Horine Beaver, 57, of Noblesville, Indiana and formerly of Madison, Indiana, and her husband, Ricky Joe Beaver, 60, of Noblesville, both died on April 5, 2023, due to an airplane crash in Venice, Florida.

She was born in Madison on May 1, 1965, to Carla and Nelson "Bud" Horine, attended school at Southwestern until sixth grade and raised in Noblesville and proud to call both her home. He was born on March 1, 1963, in Noblesville, to Billy and Gary Beaver, and grew up there.

She was a 1983 graduate of Noblesville High School where she participated in cheerleading, track and field, student government, NHS Singers, FCA, Young Life, Campaigners and DC Experience. She graduated from Indiana University-Bloomington in 1988 with a bachelor's in public affairs and public policy, political science and US History. She then completed her bachelor's in secondary education in 1994 and was a member and officer of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority, Student Athletic Board, Panhellenic Association, Rush counselor and director, FCA, Greek Fellowship and IU fit instructor. She was a staff assistant for Indiana Congressman Dan Burton from 1989 to 1991 in Indianapolis and then in his Washington DC office. She returned to Indiana as a CSR for Waste Management Inc. from 1991 to 1993 and then taught social studies concentrating in government, economics and US History at Noblesville High School and coached the "Millers" from 1992 to 1999. She founded and operated Indiana Elite Cheer & Tumbling in 1999 with business partner Karlette McClure for the past 25 years, was a member of White River Christian Church, served with Crossroads and Hamilton County Great Banquets, Leaders for Noblesville Young Life and the annual "Turkey Trot" for the Michael Treinen Foundation. She was a foodie and enjoyed playing the piano and golf and watching her children participate in hockey, lacrosse, cheerleading and following the Indianapolis Colts and Indiana University.

He graduated from Noblesville high School in 1982 and joined the family business, Beaver Materials, where he worked for more than 27 years. He then went into commercial construction as vice president of CTC and later began his own venture with Beaver Construction Management with his sons. He was adventurous and loved anything with an engine, from race cars to dirt bikes, ATV's, boats, airplanes and heavy equipment. He was a Christian and volunteered with many ministries including Crossroads & Hamilton County Great Banquets, Kairos prison ministry, Young Life, chaplain for American Motorsports Ministries and many men's bible studies. He and his wife loved to travel.

They are survived by their children/stepchildren, Robbie Horine of Fishers Indiana, Annie Jackson of Greenwood Indiana, Katherine Sarno of Indianapolis, Andy Sherley of Sheridan, Indiana, Christian Beaver of West Lafayette, Indiana, Mitchell Beaver of Cicero, Indiana and Alivia Beaver of Noblesville; and nine grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

She is survived by her mother and stepmother, Dottie Horine; her siblings, Gregory Horine and Ryan Horine, both of Noblesville, Julie Horine of Fishers and Lisa Gemmer of Avon; step-siblings; Brian Kimmel of Parker, Colorado and Jill McEldowney of Fishers; and her great aunts and great uncles.

He is survived by his parents and his siblings, Janet Ditslear and Mendy Campbell, both of Noblesville.

She was preceded in death by her grandparents, her uncles and an aunt. He was preceded in death by his grandparents.

A joint celebration of life will be held at 11 a.m. on Thursday, April 20, at Grace Church in Noblesville. Burial will be in Crownland Cemetery in Noblesville. Visitation is 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Wednesday at the church.

Arrangements entrusted to Randall & Roberts Funeral Home in Noblesville, www.randallroberts.com.

Memorial contributions may be made to Bethe Horine Beaver Memorial Inc., P.O. Box 59, Fishers, IN 46038, or The Rick J Beaver Foundation Fund No. 4702509, 9953 Crosspoint Blvd., Suite 200, Indianapolis, IN 46256 or online at https://mygiving.secure.force.com/GXDonateNow?id=a0U6S00000ecyYxUAI.

Nancy Abbott

Nancy Lee Adams Abbott, 77, of Hanover, Indiana, died Friday, April 14, 2023, at Thornton Terrace Health Campus in Hanover.

She was born on June 3, 1945, in Kokomo, Indiana, to Floyd Thomas and Inez Faye Gassert Adams. Her family moved to Jefferson County, Indiana, in 1955 and she spent the rest of her life there. She was a 1963 graduate of Dupont High School in Dupont, Indiana, and married James Allen Abbott on Feb. 6, 1965, in Lancaster, Indiana. She worked at the U.S. Shoe Factory for 33 years and then at Madison Precision Products for 4 1/2 years. She enjoyed old cars and going to car shows with her husband. She loved going to auctions with her husband and liked collecting paper weights and John Deere memorabilia.

Survivors include her husband of 58 years of Hanover; her brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law, Donald Abbott of Lexington, Indiana; Kenneth Abbott and Betty Abbott of North Carolina; Lawrence "Larry" Wayne Burris, Roland Burris and Sherri Burris and Caroline Jones and Larry Jones, all of Madison; and several nieces, nephews, cousins and other relatives.

She was preceded in death by her parents and a brother, John Clayton "Johnny" Adams, on Aug. 14, 2016.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. on Thursday, April 20, at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre in Madison. Interment will follow in the Dupont Cemetery in Dupont. Visitation is 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Wednesday and 10 a.m. until time of service on Wednesday at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to Dupont Cemetery Association through the funeral home. Online condolences and memorials, www.morgan-nay.com.

Rosemary Cloyd

Rosemary Cloyd, 90, of Hanover, Indiana, died Monday, April 17, 2023, at Thornton Terrace Health Campus in Hanover.

Arrangements will be announced by the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover, www.morgan-nay.com.

Betty Craig

Betty L. Moreillon Craig, 81, of Bedford, Kentucky and formerly of Madison, Indiana, died Thursday, April 13, 2023, at her residence.

She was born on Nov. 7, 1941 in Madison, to Dwight and Florence Brandon Moreillon. She was a 1958 graduate of Madison High School and a member of Madison Assembly of God Church. She was a sign language interpreter, having signed professionally for Bedford Baptist Church, Madison Assembly of God Church and the Southwestern School System in Hanover, Indiana, where she retired after six years of service. She also taught sign language and worked as a pharmacy technician for Madison Walmart.

Survivors include a stepdaughter, Debra Baker of Bedford; three daughters, Dee Dee Craig, Cheryl Adair and Cherona Craig, all of Bedford; a son, Danny Craig, of Bedford; two sisters, Delia Colwell and Rhonda Watson, both of Madison; and four grandchildren, two great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; a daughter, Dayna L. Craig on Feb. 10, 2013; two brothers, Wayne and George Moreillon; and three sisters, Ramona Voris, Phyllis Fultz and Sara Barnes.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, April 19, at Ransdell Funeral Home in Bedford. Interment will follow in Bedford Cemetery there. Visitation is 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Tuesday and 10 a.m. until the time of services on Wednesday at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Tunnel to Towers Foundation through the funeral home. Online condolences and memorials, www.ransdellfuneral.com.

James LaPine

James Patrick LaPine, 53, of Madison, Indiana, died Wednesday, April 12, 2023, at Norton Hospital in downtown Louisville.

He was born on Feb. 20, 1970, at King's Daughter's Hospital in Madison, to James C. "Jimmy" and Ruth Ann McGee LaPine. He resided in the Madison community all of his life and was a 1988 graduate of Madison Consolidated High School. He attended Indiana State University and married Jerica Anderson on Sept. 28, 2019, in Madison. He had worked for the Switzerland County Sheriff's Department in Vevay, Indiana, as jail commander and at the Jefferson County Sheriff's Department in Madison as a jailer. He had also worked as a surveillance supervisor at Belterra Casino in Switzerland County for 10 years. He enjoyed fishing and going to concerts of all kinds. He was an avid sports fan and especially loved Cincinnati Reds baseball and Cincinnati Bengals football and was an avid fan of the Madison Regatta. He was baptized and a member of Mt. Byrd Christian Church in Milton, Kentucky, and was fond of his cats, chickens and especially loved his dogs.

Survivors include his wife of three years of Madison; his son, Scott Stiver of Madison; his chosen family, Gary and Kim Hoagland of Madison, David and Casey Kinman of Gallatin, Tennessee, Jeff and Liz Kinman of Cincinnati, Keith and Peggy Clapp and Favor and Jim Neal, all of Greendale, Indiana; and several cousins and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a brother, James C. LaPine Jr. on Jan. 11, 1968.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, April 18, at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre in Madison. Graveside services will follow in the Dupont Cemetery in Dupont, Indiana. Visitation is 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Monday, April 17, and 10 a.m. until the time of services on Tuesday at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Kidney Foundation or the Adopt Program at the Madison Correctional Facility through the funeral home. Online condolences and memorials, www.morgan-nay.com.

Let Us Pause To Honor the Memory of Mrs. Nancy Lee Adams Abbott

Mrs. Nancy Lee Adams Abbott, age 77 of Hanover, Indiana, entered this life on June 3, 1945 in Kokomo, Indiana. She was the loving daughter of the late Floyd Thomas and Inez Faye Gassert Adams. Her family moved to Jefferson County, Indiana in 1955 where she spent the rest of her life. She was a 1963 graduate of Dupont High School in Dupont, Indiana. On February 6, 1965, she married James Allen Abbott at the Lancaster Baptist Church in Lancaster, Indiana. This happy union was blessed with 58 years of happiness and love. She worked at the U.S. Shoe Factory for 33 years and then four and one-half years at Madison Precision Products. Nancy, who had an affinity for old cars, enjoyed going to car shows and auctions with her husband, as well as collecting paper weights and John Deere memorabilia. Nancy died on Friday, April 14, 2023 at 7:56 p.m. at the Thornton Terrace Health Campus in Hanover, Indiana with her loving husband at her side.

A LOVING FAMILY

Nancy will be missed by her loving husband of 58 years, James Allen Abbott of Hanover, Indiana; her brothers in law and sisters in law, Donald Abbott of Lexington, Indiana; Kenneth Abbott and his wife, Betty of North Carolina; Lawrence "Larry" Wayne Burris of Madison, Indiana; Roland Burris and his wife, Sherri of Madison, Indiana; Caroline Jones and her husband, Larry of Madison, Indiana; several nieces, nephews, cousins and other relatives. She was preceded in death by her father, Floyd Thomas Adams, died March 29, 2004, her mother, Inez Faye Gassert Adams, died June 22, 2005, her brother, John Clayton "Johnny" Adams, died August 14, 2016.

FUNERAL CEREMONY

Funeral services will be conducted on Thursday, April 20, 2023 at 11:00 a.m. by Pastor Brynen Chitwood at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana. Interment will follow in the Dupont Cemetery in Dupont, Indiana.

VISITATION

Friends may visit Wednesday from 4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. and Thursday from 10:00 a.m. until the time of service at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana.

MEMORIAL EXPRESSIONS

Memorial contributions may be made to the Dupont Cemetery Association. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre of Madison and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com

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Sharon Grubbs

Sharon L. Grubbs, 78, of Madison, Indiana, died Saturday, April 15, 2023, at her home.

Arrangements will be announced by the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover, www.morgan-nay.com.

Dwight Padgett

Dwight Jewell Padgett, 89, of Dupont, Indiana, died Thursday, Jan. 12, 2023, at his residence and his celebration of life has now been scheduled.

The ceremony will be held from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday, April 22, 2023, at the Dupont Firehouse in Dupont. Arrangements entrusted to Dove-Sharp & Rudicel Funeral Home and Cremation Service in North Vernon, Indiana. He was a US Navy veteran and memorials may be made to Matt Hester Post No. 2021 V.F.W. through the funeral home, www.dovesharprudicel.com.

A complete obituary was previously published on Thursday, Jan. 26, 2023.

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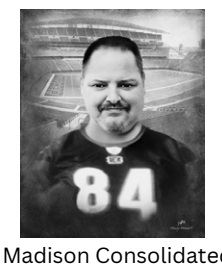
Let Us Pause To Honor the Memory of Mr. James Patrick LaPine



Mr. James Patrick LaPine, age 53 of Madison, Indiana entered this life on February 20, 1970 at King's Daughter's Hospital in Madison, Indiana. He was the loving son of James C. "Jimmy" and Ruth Ann McGee LaPine. James has resided in the Madison community all of his life and was a 1988 graduate of Madison Consolidated High School. He had furthered his education with Indiana State University. James married Jerica Anderson on September 28, 2019 at their home in Madison. James had worked for Switzerland County Sheriff's Department in Vevay as Jail Commander and at the Jefferson County Sheriff's Department in Madison as a Jailor. He had also worked as a Surveillance Supervisor at Belterra in Switzerland County for ten years. He enjoyed fishing and going to concerts of all kinds. James was an avid sports fan and especially loved the Cincinnati Reds baseball and the Cincinnati Bengals football and was an avid fan of the Madison Regatta. James was baptized and a member of the Mt. Byrd Christian Church in Milton, Kentucky. He had a fondness for his cats, his chickens and especially loved his dogs, Toby and Bailey. He also enjoyed classic television shows and old time radio shows. James passed from this life on Wednesday, April 12, 2023 at 12:23 p.m. with his loving wife and his son at his side at the Norton Hospital in downtown Louisville, Kentucky

A LOVING FAMILY

James will be missed by his loving wife Jerica Anderson LaPine of Madison, Indiana; his son, Scott Stiver of Madison, Indiana; his father in law and mother in law, Jerry and Peggy Anderson of North Vernon, Indiana; his sisters in law and brothers in law, Krista and Ryan Huff, Mike Anderson and Sarah Anderson; his chosen family, Gary and Kim Hoagland of Madison, Indiana; David and Casey Kinman of Gallatin, Tennessee; Jeff and Liz Kinman of Cincinnati, Ohio; Keith and Peggy Clapp of Greendale, Indiana; Favor and Jim Neal of Greendale, Indiana; and several cousins and other relatives. He was preceded in death by his father, James C. "Jimmy" LaPine, died July 15, 2009, his mother, Ruth Ann McGee LaPine, died July 13, 2016, his maternal grandfather, Baxter E. McGee, died March 12, 2001, his maternal grandmother, Erma Allen Grace McGee, died November 8, 1987, his paternal grandfather, William LaPine, died September 16, 1957, his paternal grandmother, Iva May Richardson LaPine, died September 19, 1973, his brother, James C. LaPine, Jr. died January 11, 1968; and his dogs, Max, Lucy, and Ethel.

FUNERAL CEREMONY

Funeral services will be conducted on Tuesday, April 18, 2023, at 11:00 a.m., by Jeff Kinman at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana. Graveside services will follow in the Dupont Cemetery in Dupont, Indiana and conducted by Bro. Aaron Snelling.

VISITATION

Friends may visit on Monday, April 17, 2023 from 4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. and Tuesday from 10:00 a.m. until the time of service at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana.

MEMORIAL EXPRESSIONS

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Herbert Peelman

Herbert Leon Peelman, 80, of Vevay, Indiana, died Saturday, April 15, 2023, at Swiss Villa Nursing & Rehabilitation Center in Vevay, Indiana.

He was born on April 16, 1942, in Lawrenceburg, Indiana, to Herbert Lee Peelman and Blanch E. Romans Martin. He was raised in Lawrenceburg and attended school there. He married Joan Carol Wiltz on Sept. 26, 1963, to in Kerman, California, and they had three children. He was employed at various auto body shops in Switzerland and Jefferson counties in Indiana for several years. He worked briefly in security for Belterra Casino & Resort in Florence, Indiana, and was a former deputy sheriff for Switzerland County for a few years. He was a former minister for many years at the Vevay Church of Christ in Vevay. He also owned and operated Peelman's Wrecker Services in Vevay, and enjoyed tinkering on cars, woodworking, carpentry and drinking coffee as well as watching westerns and the news on TV. He was known for his goofy character and loved telling jokes and making people laugh.

Survivors include his son, Darrell Peelman of East Enterprise, Indiana; a daughter, Cheryl Scudder of Vevay; his sisters, Laverne Wagner of Vevay and Mary Lou Shaw of East Enterprise; and three grandchildren, two great grandchildren and his nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, stepmother, Mary T. Swango Peelman and stepfather, Oscar Roger Martin; a daughter, Karen Laverne Peelman Harsin on Aug. 30, 1990; an infant brother, Kenneth Peelman on Jan. 2, 1939; his brothers, Robert L. "Bob" Peelman, on Oct. 29, 2000, Leslie "Johnny" Peelman on April 28, 2012, Richard Charles "Rick" Peelman on March 3, 2016 and Harold Peelman on Dec. 2, 2019; and a nephew.

Funeral services will be private. Interment will be in the Vevay Cemeteryin Vevay. Arrangements entrusted to Haskell & Morrison Funeral Home in Vevay.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Keeping Pace Cancer Fund c/o CFSCI through the funeral home or online, www.haskellandmorrison.com.

Sinda Sergent

Sinda Sergent, 83, of Paris Crossing, Indiana, died Tuesday, April 11, 2023, at her residence.

She was born Feb. 5, 1940, in Buckhorn, Kentucky, to Dan and Alpha Johnson Nease. She married Billy Sergent on March 11, 1956, in North Vernon, Indiana. She was a graduate of Paris Crossing High School and was a homemaker and housewife. She was a member of the Model A Club and Lancaster Baptist Church in Lancaster, Indiana. She enjoyed quilting, crafting and cooking.

Survivors include her daughter, Sue Ross of Commiskey, Indiana; her grandchildren, Melissa Humphrey of Madison, Indiana, Jessica Marshall and Kristen Sergent, both of Columbus, Indiana, Lindsay Sergent and Dylan Sergent, both of Paris Crossing; and 13 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband on March 9, 2022; a son, William Michael Sergent; her brothers, Jim and Jerry Joe Nease; and a sister, Jeanette Criss.

Funeral services were Saturday, April 15, 2023, at the Dove-Sharp & Rudicel Funeral Home and Cremation Service in North Vernon, Indiana. Burial was in Coffee Creek Christian Church Cemetery in Paris Crossing.

Memorial contributions may be given as toys or funds through the funeral home to the annual food and toy giveaway at Muscatatuck Christian Ranch. Online condolences, www.dovesharprudicel.com.

Martha Wilking

Martha Dawn Wilking, 54, of Madison, Indiana, died Friday, April 14, 2023, at Norton King's Daughters' Health in Madison.

Arrangements will be announced by the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover, www.morgan-nay.com.

Leo Sheets

Leonard Gale "Leo" Sheets, 92, of Madison, Indiana, died Monday, April 17, 2023, at the River Terrace Health Campus in downtown Madison.

Arrangements will be announced by the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover, www.morgan-nay.com.

Lawrence Wallace

Lawrence Wallace, 76, of Cincinnati, Ohio, died Saturday, April 8, 2023, at CareCore at Lakeridge Acres in Cincinnati.

He was born on Jan. 22, 1947, in Allen Park, Michigan, to Nicholas and Sophia Slater Wallace. He graduated from Cabrini High School in Allen Park in 1964. He married Maria Scott Wallace on Oct. 31, 1990. He was a mechanical engineering specialist, working in the auto industry in Michigan and later as an independent contractor in Cincinnati and at other sites in the U.S. and Argentina. He was a member of kennel clubs and bred and showed miniature poodles. He was a member of engineering societies and American Mensa. He enjoyed traveling, writing and genealogy.

Survivors include his wife of 32 years of Cincinnati; his son, Nicholas Scott Wallace of Cincinnati; his brother, Paul Wallace of Fort Thomas, Kentucky; his sister, Donna Wallace of Royal Oak, Michigan; and his cousins.

Arrangements entrusted to Lytle Welty Funeral Homes & Cremation Service in Madison, Indiana, Family memorial services will be announced by the funeral home, www.lytlewelty.com.

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competitive call for projects in January. Applications were evaluated based on need and current conditions, as well as impacts to safety and economic development.

Funding for Community Crossings comes from the state's local road and bridge matching grant fund. To qualify for funding, local governments must provide local matching funds of 50% for larger communities or 25% for smaller communities and have an asset management plan for maintaining existing roads and bridges. Indiana law requires annually that 50% of the available matching funds be awarded to communities located in counties with a population of 50,000 or fewer.

Ivy Tech honors MCHS's Koren for dual credit instruction

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Emeka Koren, science teacher at Madison Consolidated High School, has been selected as recipient of the second annual President's Award for Excellence in Dual Credit Instruction by the Ivy Tech Madison campus.

On June 14, Koren will be recognized by Sue Ellspermann, president of Ivy Tech Community College, as one of 19 statewide recipients. Koren's academic and teaching accomplishments will also be highlighted. The evening will conclude with the announcement of the 2023 Statewide Award recipient.

Andrea McDole, director of K-14 Initiatives at Ivy Tech Madison, said Koren's "passion for seeing students excel goes beyond his classroom. He has been a mentor to new dual credit instructors and advocated for education throughout our community. We are thrilled to recognize his achievements and highlight the high-quality instruction and work of all dual credit instructors in our high schools."

Koren holds a Bachelor of Arts in Chemical Engineering from Rice University, a Master of Arts in Mathematics Education from Western Governors University, and additional graduate hours in chemistry and physics.

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Emeka Koren, science teacher at Madison Consolidated High School, has been selected as the recipient of the Ivy Tech Madison campus' 2nd Annual President's Award for Excellence in Dual Credit Instruction.

Koren's dedication to his students shows through his passion for teaching. "I always liked explaining things and sharing knowledge," said Koren. "I did a lot of tutoring in high school and even taught my calculus class when the teacher wasn't there. But I've also felt it to be a matter of social justice. Education is the primary means by which a person without much financial resources can invest in themselves to eventually become middle class. Too many people remain poor because of inadequate access to education."

Ronnie Lawhead, principal at MCHS, said, Koren brings a "nice balance of instructional rigor and compassion for his students who are taking these advanced-level courses, which are developed and intended for students who seek a challenging and more demanding workload. While the intellect is most certainly there with these students, other elements necessary around college-level work are still developing for many of these students.

Mr. Koren knows and understands this and not only pushes them academically but also helps them develop productive study habits, time management skills, and emotional tenacity to handle challenges and feedback that come with college-level academic preparation and performance."

Koren is the co-director of the academic teams at Madison Consolidated High School, the coach of the Science Academic Super Bowl and a member of the Madison Education Foundation board. He is also on the Finance Committee of the Bethany Legacy Foundation. Koren serves on the board of Historic Eleutherian College, and in support of the College's original mission created a Summer Institute focusing on STEM (science, technology, engineering, and math). This inaugural Institute, in partnership with Ivy Tech Madison and Hanover College, encourages students of color to pursue a career teaching STEM in public schools.

Koren teaches four dual credit classes in science at MCHS in the areas of chemistry, physics, and physical science. This results in as many as 15 college credits for high school students. Students participating in these classes can also earn degrees while in high school, including the Indiana College Core. After high school, students can complete an associate degree at Ivy Tech Community College or transfer their credit to other institutions. Students can begin earning dual credit from Ivy Tech as early as their freshman year of high school.

"The Dual Credit program at Madison Consolidated High School provides a way to raise the academic level of high school students and to give them credit for college level work that they have done in high school. This helps them to prepare for college both academically and financially," Koren said. MCHS has 16 teachers that offer 50 dual credit classes. Current MCHS seniors have earned 80 Ivy Tech degrees through a combination of dual credit classes at MCHS and dual enrollment courses at Ivy Tech Madison.

Ivy Tech Madison has more than 50 dual credit instructors at high schools throughout Jefferson and Switzerland Counties, as well as the Southeastern Career Center and Indiana Digital Learning School.

During the 2022-2023 school year, Ivy Tech Madison will award nearly 8,000 college credit hours to more than 1,200 dual credit high school students, saving families over $1 million in tuition costs.

Drug, syringe disposal drop-off April 29 at JCHD

BY THE COURIER STAFF

A disposal drop-off for expired or no longer taken prescriptions and syringes will take place from 10 a.m. to noon on Saturday, April 29, at the Jefferson County Health Department (JCHD), 715 Green Road, Madison.

According to a release by the JCHD, the initiative addresses a vital public safety and public health issue.

Medicines that languish in home cabinets are highly susceptible to diversion, misuse and abuse.

Rates of prescription drug abuse in the U.S. are alarmingly high, as are the number of accidental poisonings and overdoses due to these drugs.

According to the health department, studies show that a majority of abused prescription drugs are obtained from family and friends, including from the home medicine cabinet.

In addition, Americans are now advised that their usual methods for disposing of unused medicines — flushing them down the toilet or throwing them in the trash — both pose potential safety and health hazards.

The event is held in partnership with the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office, City of Madison Police Department, Healthy Communities Initiative of Jefferson County and the health department.

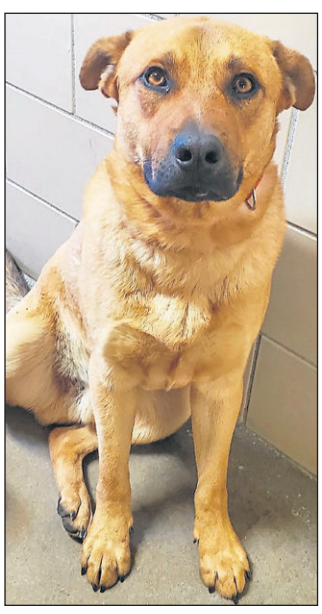
Used syringes may also be brought to the health department anytime during office hours, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Unused/unwanted medications can be dropped off anytime at the Madison Police Department or at the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office during regular administration/lobby hours Monday through Friday.

PET OF THE WEEK

Available for adoption

"Henry" is a sweet and loving 2-year-old shepard mix who is altered, up to date on all vaccinations and available for adoption at the Jefferson County Animal Shelter. He would be great in a home where he can play all day and snuggle all night. He is good on a leash and good with most other dogs but a meet and greet is always encouraged if other pets are involved. For more information, visit the animal shelter Facebook page or www.sisaveapet.com or call 812-273-1788.



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Lawsuit filed to block removal, demolition of seven trailers

BY THE COURIER STAFF

The lawsuit, filed last week by James and Gail Cunningham, claims James Cunningham was not given an opportunity to repair or rehabilitate the homes.

Owners of a downtown Madison trailer park have filed a lawsuit in connection with an order by the Madison Board of Public Works and Safety that they demolish and remove seven trailers at 421 Mobile Home Park.

The lawsuit, filed last week by James and Gail Cunningham, claims James Cunningham was not given an opportunity to repair or rehabilitate the homes.

The suit also states that Gail Cunningham was not a person to whom the order was issued.

The suit also contends that if a stay of the order is not issued that "immediate and irreparable injury, loss or damage will result financially" to both James and Gail Cunningham.

The order requiring that the trailers be demolished and removed by April 23 was approved by the three-member BPWS at its March 20 meeting, contending that the mobile homes have been inspected and deemed unsafe and dangerous.

The seven trailers are located on parcels at 938 to 940 Walnut at 421 Mobile Home Park. The designated trailers to be demolished all have Moody Lane addresses at 401, 407, 408, 413, 414, 419 and 420. James Cunningham is noted as the owner of 401, 408 and 414 Moody Park Lane while Gail Cunningham is noted as owner of 407 413, 419 and 420 Moody Park Lane.

"We are still hopeful for an amicable outcome that addresses the substandard housing conditions and the neighborhood blight from the dilapidated structures," Madison Mayor Bob Courtney, who served on the BPWS, said by email on Friday.

OurSIRDA remains optimistic of READI 2.0 allocation

BY BOB DEMAREE

With the Our Southern Indiana Regional Development Authority now implementing nearly $50 million in READI funding, there was optimism for another round of funding by its board of directors at their meeting on Friday.

The Indiana General Assembly is in the process of considering a second round of READI (Regional Economic Acceleration and Development Initiative) economic development funding for regions throughout Indiana.

Cory Cochran, executive director of River Hills Economic Development District Regional Planning Commission, hired by the OurSIRDA to implement the projects, said the amount earmarked for a second round of READI funding to regions throughout the state remains at $500 million, the same amount that was provided for the initial round in 2021.

Cochran reported that on Thursday, April 13, after it came out of the State Senate appropriations committee that READI had been renamed Collaborative Communities. He said Tuesday, April 18, is the last date the Senate can approve bills from the House of Representative, so until then there remains the possibility that the bill can still be amended.

After that, the bill would go back to the House of Representatives to either accept or decline the changes, and then before a conference committee to finalize the details. After all that the bill would still have to go back to each legislative body for approval. Cochran anticipates that the final version of the bill should be established during the week of April 24.

"I'm very optimistic," said Cochran. "We're here in the middle of April, and state budget forecasts have been reviewed by the legislators of the House and Senate, and we're still at $500 million. I can't say that it will stay at $500 million but I am very confident it will be a good chunk of the state budget."

"What Cory has described is the result of project leaders and community leaders statewide, elected and otherwise, doing the right thing during READI 1.0," said Kevin Kellems, who represents Jefferson County on the OurSIRDA board, which he said has been a leader in the state. "What matters at this moment is to not let up on the support at the state and legislative level," and continue to advocate with state legislative leaders.

Because of the impact of the River Ridge Commerce Center in Clark County, Cochran announced READI funding for improvements to the Charlestown wastewater treatment plant will be nearly doubled from the initial $5 million — $2.4 million in reallocated funds and $2.5 additional from the IEDC.

"The Charlestown wastewater treatment plant came in very expensive" and because of the relevance of the River Ridge Commerce Center, the Indiana Economic Development Corporation "felt it necessary to help and reallocate funding towards that project."

The $2.4 million reallocation will be from the Market Street Commons affordable housing development project which had not yet been finalized for funding. In reaching out to Marian Development Group, the orchestrater of the Market Street Commons project, they "graciously allowed for their READI 1.0 funding to be reallocated to the Charlestown wastewater treatment plant," said Cochran.

In making the agreement to do that, he said IEDC is providing the Marian group with tax credits plus making that project a priority project in a second round of READI funding.

Additionally, IEDC is providing an additional $2.5 million of READI funding towards the costs of the Charlestown wastewater treatment plant. Cochran said that $2.5 million is coming from funds that had not been distributed. Of the $500 million in READI funds, the IEDC had held onto 3%, which totals $15 million. Most of that was to pay Ernst and Young for its work in reviewing eligibility requirements in fund distribution. "I don't know how much they paid Ernst and Young, but it sounds like they didn't take all $15 million," said Cochran. "So, it sounds like they had a little bit of READI funding that they kept back for instances like this" and some of that will now go towards the Charlestown wastewater treatment facility.

Although other regions might have liked to have had the opportunity of some of that additional READI funding, Cochran said, "I think that they see the value of the economic driver of River Ridge, so I think that's why this is happening."

Kellems called River Ridge "a five-county minimum asset. This is a regional development board. There are times when we do things, and we vote for things that may not be popular with an individual entity or even an individual from our own counties, but our job is to look out for a regional economy which benefits all five."

Indiana birth control bills move with abortion ban in flux

BY ARLEIGH RODGERS
ASSOCIATED PRESS/REPORT FOR AMERICA

INDIANAPOLIS — Indiana residents could have access to birth control without a doctor's prescription under a bill state lawmakers sent to the governor last week, a move proponents say will prevent unwanted pregnancies in a state that passed an abortion ban last summer.

The state House bill is key to providing women quicker access to contraceptives, bill sponsor Republican Sen. Sue Glick said Tuesday, especially in areas where they struggle to receive primary care.

Glick, who sponsored the state's abortion ban, called the bill "a furtherance of the bills we heard this summer."

"We have individuals who have been referred to their primary physicians or to a primary physicians. Many of them don't go to the doctor, they can't afford it or they don't have access," she said before the 28-20 vote. "This is an effort to give care to individuals who need it. It's an effort to help these individuals have healthy families at their time."

If approved by GOP Gov. Eric Holcomb, pharmacists could be reimbursed for their services to Medicaid patients. They would also be able to object to prescribing the medications under "ethical, moral, or religious grounds."

Prescriptions, however, cannot last more than six months, and pharmacists cannot prescribe a contraceptive to a woman after 12 months "unless the woman has been seen by a physician, advanced practice registered nurse, or physician assistant" in the past year.

"If you are against abortion, you ought to be for contraceptives," Republican Sen. Vaneta Becker said before voting for the bill.

To opponents who want birth control to only be prescribed by physicians, the bill is "unequivocally lowering the standard of care," Republican Sen. Tyler Johnson said Tuesday. The emergency medicine doctor also questioned whether access to birth control would decrease abortions in Indiana.

State legislatures across the U.S. have introduced at least 30 bills related to birth control access this year, according to the Guttmacher Institute, a research group that supports abortion rights.

New Jersey Democratic Gov. Phil Murphy earlier this year signed a law that would allow women in the state to receive some hormonal contraceptives without a prescription. That law goes into effect in May.

While the Indiana legislature seeks avenues for contraceptive access, the state's abortion ban remains on hold pending a decision from the Indiana Supreme Court. Abortion clinic operators filed a lawsuit against the ban, which has not been enforced since September.

But the drive for pharmacist-prescribed birth control has cropped up in Indiana before this year — most recently this summer, when Democratic Rep. Rita Fleming introduced an amendment with such language into a spending bill for low-income women and children that lawmakers advanced alongside the abortion ban.

That amendment fell short by one vote.

"We were awfully close then," Fleming told the Associated Press on Tuesday. "I think the good of providing this for women in a safe manner is incredibly important."

A House committee earlier Tuesday also unanimously approved a bill that could allow long-acting reversible contraceptives, such as intrauterine devices, to be transferred between Medicaid patients, something that is currently prohibited.

If a Medicaid patient does not return for an insertion appointment after 12 weeks for a device they requested, a medical provider could reissue that contraceptive to a different patient, under the bill, which now goes to the full House.

Providers do not typically keep the implant devices on the shelf because of their high costs, leaving "thousands of dollars of these unclaimed," Democratic Sen. Shelli Yoder, the bill's author, said Tuesday.

"Health care providers are only able to recoup that cost after it's inserted or implanted," she said. "The only thing they can do is wait. And if they expire, they throw them away."

HDBR approves synthetic shingles for Main Street home

BY MARK CAMPBELL

When Madison updated its guidelines for preservation of the city's renowned 133-block National Historic Landmark District last year, one of the areas discussed was how modern materials might be utilized to cut costs and extend the useful life of buildings without impacting the historic look and charm of the city.

Madison's regulations already allow alternate sidings and window materials if the original siding and windows cannot be salvaged — some with a cost savings for the property owner and others not — and the question was raised whether improvements in alternative materials and technologies could be incorporated into the approved guidelines to make historic preservation and restoration easier and more cost effective without an unacceptable compromise.

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Josh Wilber, chairman of the Madison Historic District Board of Review and most other board members have been open to allowing modern materials as long as the end result replicates original or period materials and the corners cut don't sacrifice long-term survival of the structures.

Wilber, who owns and lives in one of the more iconic homes in downtown Madison at 506 West Main Street, was faced with a similar circumstance recently when hail damaged the original terra cotta shingles on his family's 3,889-square-foot, 1920 Dutch colonial revival with gambrel roof at Main and Elm streets.

Wilber proposed and the HDBR approved using a new synthetic roofing material that not only allows him to replace his roof but do it in a much less expensive way with a material that will look historic and is warranted to be much more durable in the long run. That could be a win-win for both the home owner and the longevity of the historic home.

The material Wilber proposed a synthetic cedar shake shingle to replace the entire roof after broken terra cotta shingles resulted in his roof leaking and causing water damage. The new material comes with a 50-year warranty and is much lighter than the clay shingles and should result in less stress on the structure and easier application by the roofers.

"I'm excited about this product. If the board decides they like this it could be an option," Wilber said while addressing the members by video remote while out of town on business. "I've found some historic districts that are allowing this to be used instead of tile."

Wilber said the roof will still cost about $60,000 to replace — much more than an asphalt roof for about $35,000 — but that is well less than the $195,000 cost of a tile replacement, which exceeded what his insurance carrier would pay to cover the damage despite months of negotiations.

"Historically we do not force people to replace with these extremely expensive materials," HDBR member Owen McCall, said noting that materials like terra cotta and slate are often replaced by asphalt shingles.

The main issue to the proposed shingles is the cedar shake design which could somewhat change the look of the home. However, cedar shakes were in use at the time many of the historic homes in Madison were built. They have since fell out of favor as replacements because cedar is simply not very durable and roofs have to be replaced often to avoid the leaks that are extremely damaging to the old buildings.

However, the replacement material Wilber is proposing is synthetic and could offer a compromise in both looks and durability.

The HDBR voted 5-0 to approve the use of the new material on Wilber's roof — he recused himself from the vote since it is his home — and the members noted interest in seeing how the shingles look and perform.

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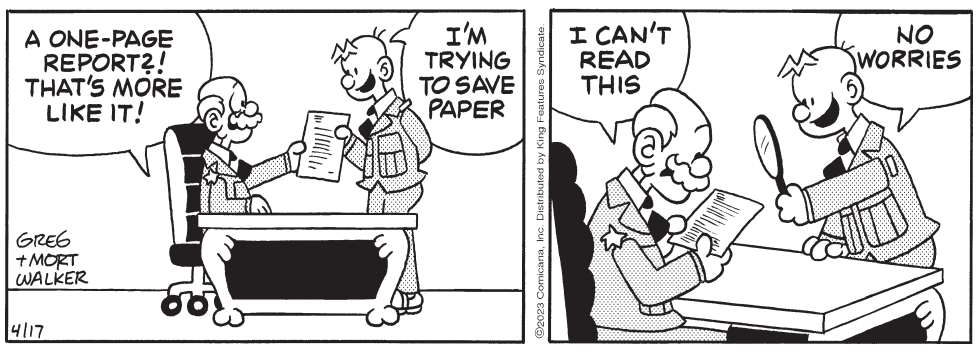
A ONE-PAGE REPORT?! THAT'S MORE LIKE IT!
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I CAN'T READ THIS
NO WORRIES
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BLONDIE

SO, THE DATING LIFE'S GETTING SERIOUS, HUH?
WOW, DAD!
HOW CAN YOU ALWAYS TELL WHEN THINGS ARE GETTING SERIOUS?
FOR STARTERS, YOU COMB YOUR HAIR FOR MORE THAN THREE DAYS IN A ROW, YOU START WEARING MY COLOGNE, AND YOU WEAR CLOTHES THAT FIT
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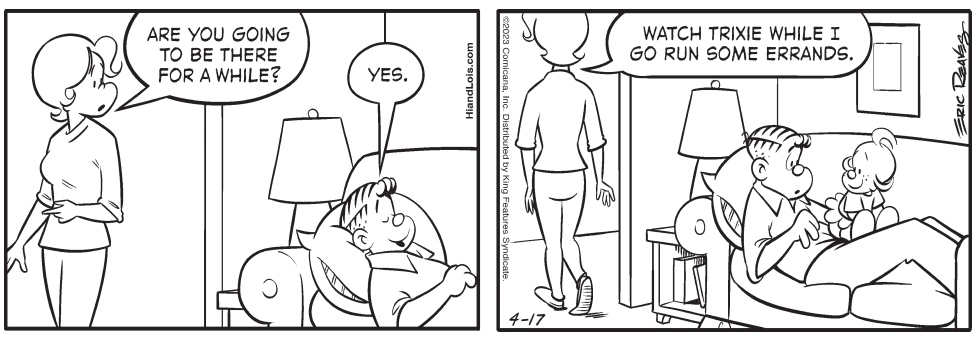
ARE YOU GOING TO BE THERE FOR A WHILE?
YES.
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WATCH TRIXIE WHILE I GO RUN SOME ERRANDS.
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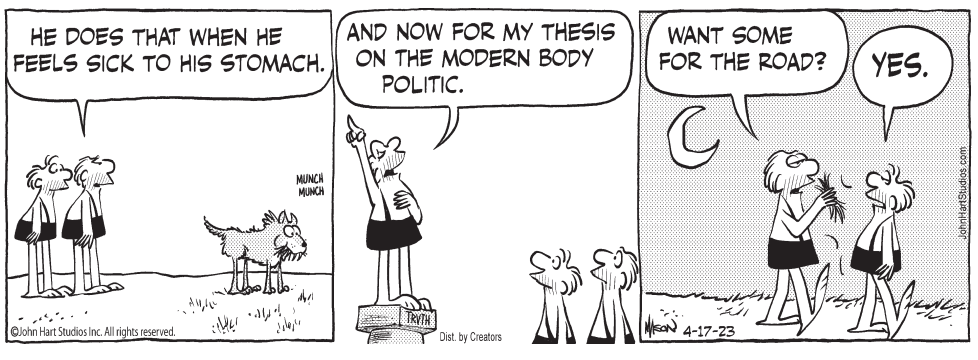
HE DOES THAT WHEN HE FEELS SICK TO HIS STOMACH.
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AND NOW FOR MY THESIS ON THE MODERN BODY POLITIC.
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WANT SOME FOR THE ROAD?
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WIZARD OF ID

CRABGRASS

GENE, WE NEED TO TALK.
WHAT'S UP, BABE?
I THINK... YOU MAY BE GETTING CARRIED AWAY WITH MILES' PUNISHMENT.
IS THAT RIGHT?
I KNOW HE DESERVES TO BE GROUNDED. AND I DON'T WANT TO UNDERMINE YOUR AUTHORITY. BUT I NEED YOU TO STEP BACK AND CONSIDER WHETHER THE POINT IS TO TEACH HIM A LESSON OR MAKE YOURSELF FEEL BETTER.
YOU CAN JUST SAY THE HAT IS TOO MUCH.
THE HAT'S TOO MUCH.
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GARFIELD

FORT KNOX

YOUR MOTHER'S GIVING ME THE SILENT TREATMENT, JOE.
I HATE IT WHEN SHE DOES THAT.
SO WHAT SHOULD I DO??
JUST WAIT IT OUT.
FOR A FEW DAYS?
FOR A FEW YEARS.
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PICKLES

I READ SOMEWHERE THAT ON AVERAGE, 100 PEOPLE A YEAR CHOKE TO DEATH FROM CHEWING ON PENS.
THE CAPS COME OFF AND THEY CHOKE TO DEATH!
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CRAZY, HUH?
IT DIDN'T SAY HOW MANY JUST END UP WITH A BLUE MUSTACHE.
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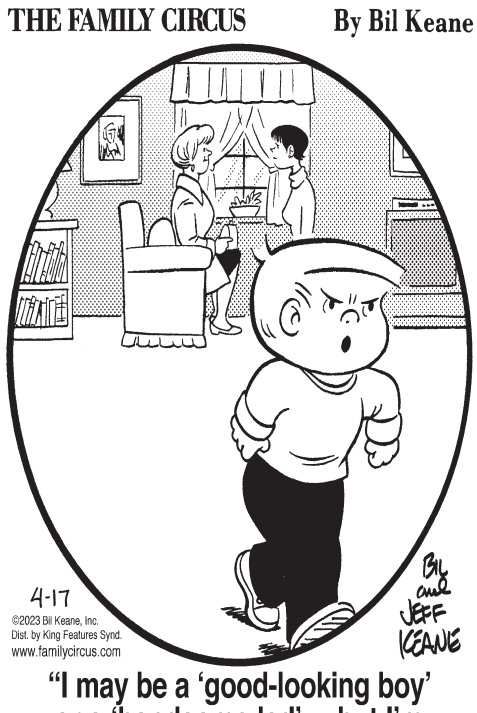

"I may be a 'good-looking boy' or a 'handsome lad' ... but I'm NOT a 'beautiful child'!"

DENNIS THE MENACE

"THE THING I LIKE ABOUT HAMMOCKS IS ONE SIZE FITS ALL!"

BABY BLUES

POP!
WHAT ARE WE CELEBRATING?
THAT WASN'T A CHAMPAGNE CORK.
SHE MUST'VE HAD QUITE A SEAL ON THAT ONE.
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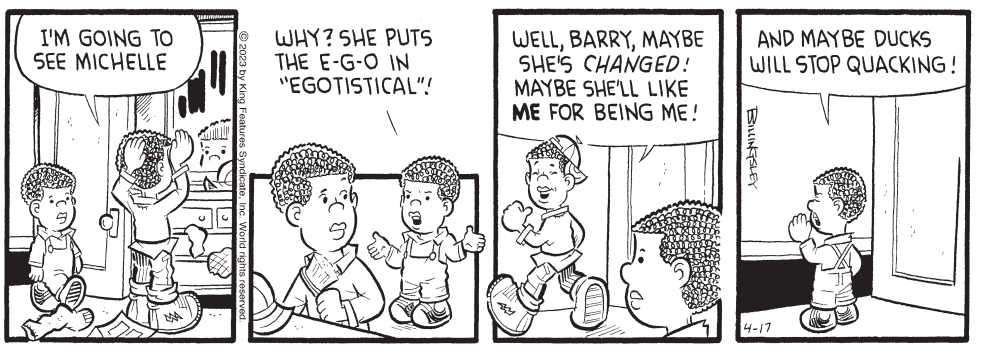
I'M GOING TO SEE MICHELLE
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WHY? SHE PUTS THE E-G-O IN "EGOTISTICAL"!
WELL, BARRY, MAYBE SHE'S CHANGED! MAYBE SHE'LL LIKE ME FOR BEING ME!
AND MAYBE DUCKS WILL STOP QUACKING!
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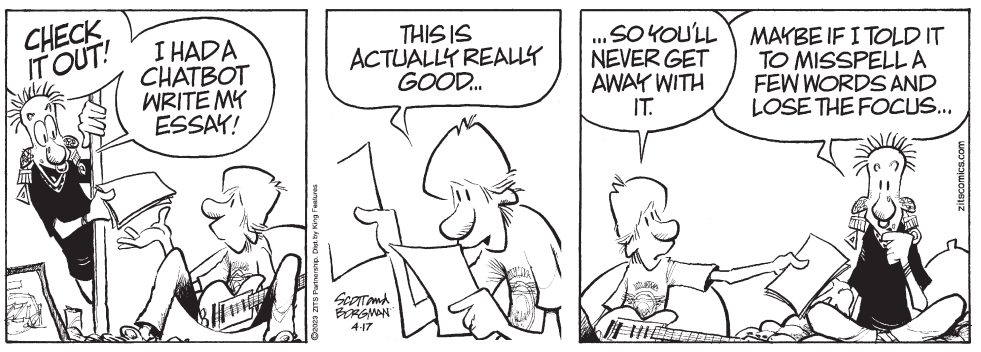
CHECK IT OUT!
I HAD A CHATBOT WRITE MY ESSAY!
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THIS IS ACTUALLY REALLY GOOD...
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...SO YOU'LL NEVER GET AWAY WITH IT.
MAYBE IF I TOLD IT TO MISSPELL A FEW WORDS AND LOSE THE FOCUS...
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TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Monday, April 17, the 107th day of 2023. There are 258 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On April 17, 1961, some 1,500 CIA-trained Cuban exiles launched the disastrous Bay of Pigs invasion of Cuba in an attempt to topple Fidel Castro, whose forces crushed the incursion by the third day.

On this date:

In 1521, Martin Luther went before the Diet of Worms to face charges stemming from his religious writings. (Luther was later declared an outlaw by Holy Roman Emperor Charles V.)

In 1961, "The Apartment" won the Academy Award for best picture of 1960; Burt Lancaster was named best actor for "Elmer Gantry," while the best actress award went to Elizabeth Taylor for "Butterfield 8."

In 1964, Ford Motor Co. unveiled the Mustang at the New York World's Fair.

In 1969, a jury in Los Angeles convicted Sirhan Sirhan of assassinating Sen. Robert F. Kennedy.

In 1970, Apollo 13 astronauts James A. Lovell, Fred W. Haise and Jack Swigert splashed down safely in the Pacific, four days after a ruptured oxygen tank crippled their spacecraft while en route to the moon.

In 1972, the Boston Marathon allowed women to compete for the first time; Nina Kuscsik was the first officially recognized women's champion, with a time of 3:10:26.

In 1973, Federal Express (later FedEx) began operations as 14 planes carrying 186 packages took off from Memphis International Airport, bound for 25 U.S. cities.

In 1975, Cambodia's five-year war ended as the capital Phnom Penh fell to the Khmer Rouge, which instituted brutal, radical policies that claimed an estimated 1.7 million lives until the regime was overthrown in 1979.

In 1986, at London's Heathrow Airport, a bomb was discovered in the bag of Anne-Marie Murphy, a pregnant Irishwoman about to board an El Al jetliner to Israel; she'd been tricked into carrying the bomb by her Jordanian fiance, Nezar Hindawi.

In 1991, the Dow Jones industrial average closed above 3,000 for the first time, ending the day at 3,004.46, up 17.58.

In 1993, a federal jury in Los Angeles convicted two former police officers of violating the civil rights of beaten motorist Rodney King; two other officers were acquitted. Turkish President Turgut Ozal died at age 66.

In 2020, President Donald Trump urged supporters to "LIBERATE" three states led by Democratic governors, apparently encouraging protests against stay-at-home mandates aimed at stopping the coronavirus.

Ten years ago: Fifteen people were killed when a fertilizer plant exploded in West, Texas. Sports returned to Boston two days after the deadly Marathon bombing as the Buffalo Sabres defeated the Bruins in a 3-2 shootout (players on both teams wore "Boston Strong" decals on their helmets).

Five years ago: Barbara Bush, who was both a first lady and the mother of a president, died in Houston at the age of 92; she was survived by her husband, George H.W. Bush, with whom she had the longest marriage of any presidential couple in American history - a marriage of more than 73 years.

One year ago: Ukrainian fighters holed up in a steel plant in the last known pocket of resistance inside the shattered city of Mariupol ignored a surrender-or-die ultimatum from the Russians and continued to hold out against the capture of the strategically vital port. A container ship the length of more than three football fields was pried from the muddy bottom of the Chesapeake Bay more than a month after it ran aground.

Today's Birthdays: Actor David Bradley is 81. Composer-musician Jan Hammer is 75. Actor Olivia Hussey is 72. Actor Clarke Peters is 71. Rapper Afrika Bambaataa is 66. Actor Sean Bean is 64. Former NFL quarterback Boomer Esiason is 62. Rock singer Maynard James Keenan (Tool) is 59. Actor Lela Rochon is 59. Actor William Mapother is 58. Actor Leslie Bega is 56. Actor Henry Ian Cusick is 56. Actor Kimberly Elise is 56. Singer Liz Phair is 56. Director/producer Adam McKay is 55. Rapper-actor Redman is 53. Actor Jennifer Garner is 51. Singer Victoria Beckham is 49. Actor-singer Lindsay Korman is 45. Actor Tate Ellington is 44. Actor Nicholas D'Agosto is 43. Actor Charlie Hofheimer is 42. Actor Rooney Mara is 38. Actor Jacqueline MacInnes Wood is 36. Actor Paulie Litt is 28. Actor Dee Dee Davis is 27.

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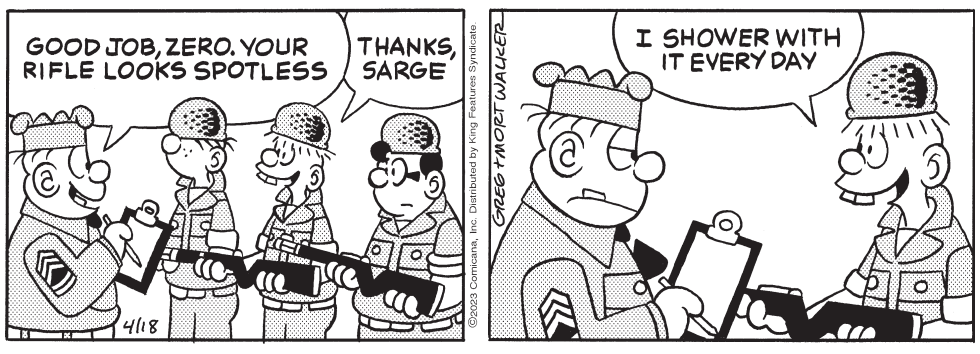
GOOD JOB, ZERO. YOUR RIFLE LOOKS SPOTLESS
THANKS, SARGE
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I SHOWER WITH IT EVERY DAY
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BLONDIE

I'M HAVING A HARD TIME HIRING NEW EMPLOYEES...MAYBE I SHOULD OFFER A SIGNING BONUS
BONUS?!
HOW ABOUT I QUIT AND YOU REHIRE ME AND OFFER ME A SIGNING BONUS!
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TOUGH DAY, DEAR?
WELL, I KEPT MY OLD JOB, AND ACCORDING TO MY BOSS, AFTER TODAY, THAT'S A REAL BONUS
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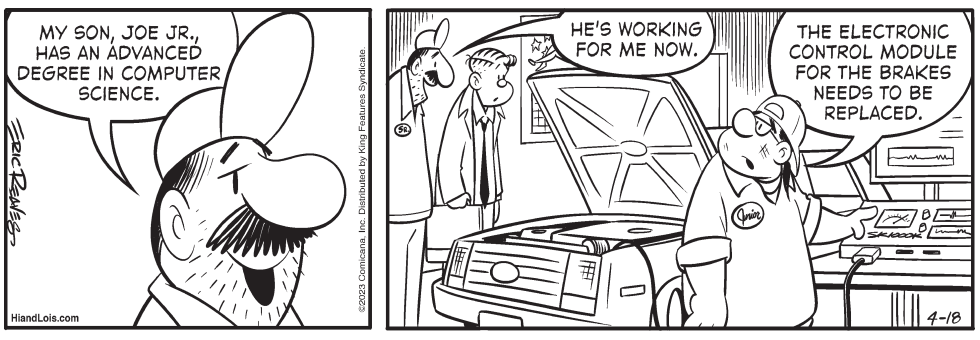
HI & LOIS


MY SON, JOE JR., HAS AN ADVANCED DEGREE IN COMPUTER SCIENCE.
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HE'S WORKING FOR ME NOW.
THE ELECTRONIC CONTROL MODULE FOR THE BRAKES NEEDS TO BE REPLACED.
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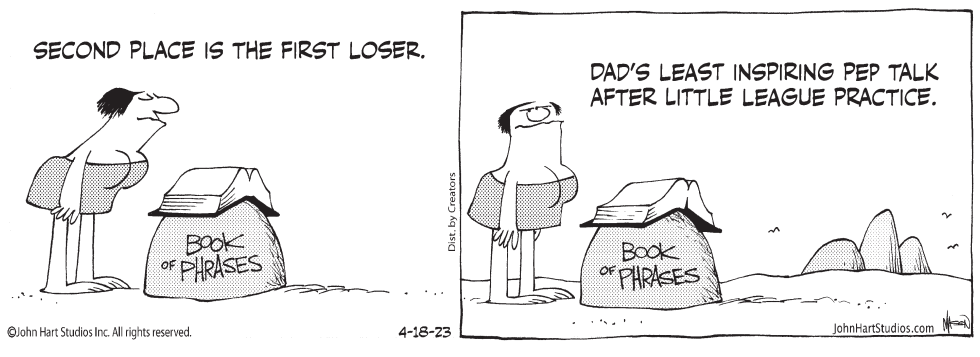
SECOND PLACE IS THE FIRST LOSER.
BOOK OF PHRASES
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DAD'S LEAST INSPIRING PEP TALK AFTER LITTLE LEAGUE PRACTICE.
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WIZARD OF ID

THIS ONE HERE IS MADE OF STYROFOAM
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WOW! WILL IT LAST?
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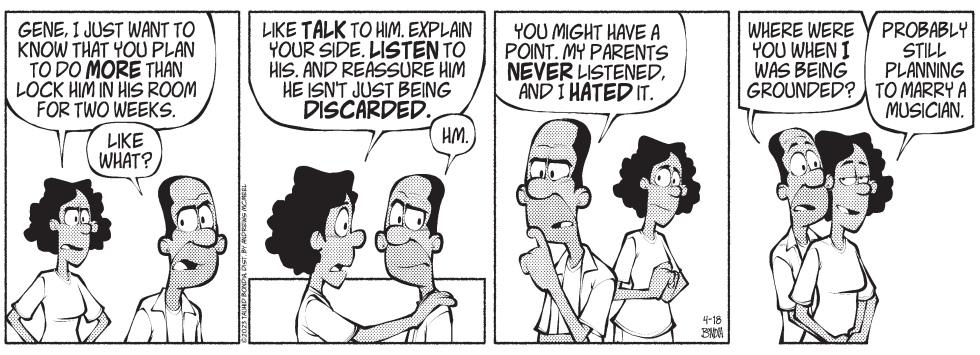
NOT SURE, BUT YOUR PALLBEARERS WILL LOVE YOU FOR IT

CRABGRASS


GENE, I JUST WANT TO KNOW THAT YOU PLAN TO DO MORE THAN LOCK HIM IN HIS ROOM FOR TWO WEEKS.
LIKE WHAT?
LIKE TALK TO HIM. EXPLAIN YOUR SIDE. LISTEN TO HIS. AND REASSURE HIM HE ISN'T JUST BEING DISCARDED.
HM.
YOU MIGHT HAVE A POINT. MY PARENTS NEVER LISTENED, AND I HATED IT.
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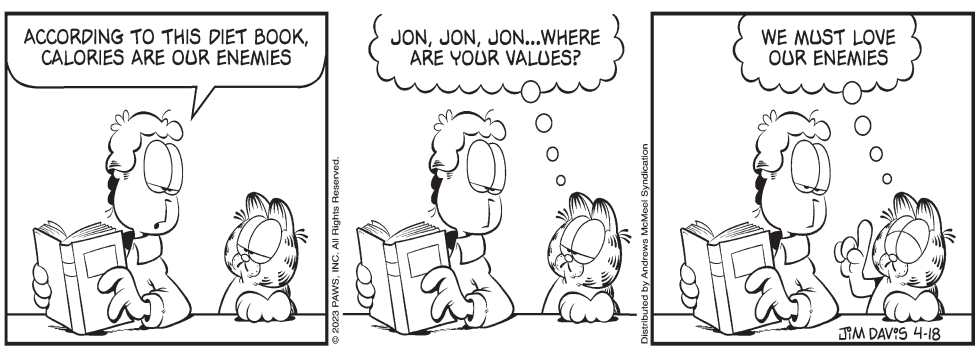
WHERE WERE YOU WHEN I WAS BEING GROUNDED?
PROBABLY STILL PLANNING TO MARRY A MUSICIAN.

GARFIELD


ACCORDING TO THIS DIET BOOK, CALORIES ARE OUR ENEMIES
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JON, JON, JON...WHERE ARE YOUR VALUES?
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WE MUST LOVE OUR ENEMIES
JIM DAVIS 4-18

FORT KNOX

I HEARD THAT YOU'RE GIVING THE GENERAL THE SILENT TREATMENT, MOM.
YOU HEARD RIGHT.
tight LIPPED
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WHY?
BECAUSE HE DID SOMETHING TERRIBLE AND I WANT HIM TO LEARN A LESSON.
SCORN to be WILD
WOW... WHAT DID HE DO??
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I CAN'T REMEMBER.
DISK error

PICKLES

HERE, EARL. I WANT YOU TO TRY SOME OF THIS HEAVY-DUTY SHAMPOO ON YOUR MUSTACHE.
MAYBE IT'LL GET THAT BLUE INK OUT OF IT.
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IS IT WORKING?
WE'LL SEE...
I'D SAY THE RESULTS ARE INCONCLUSIVE.
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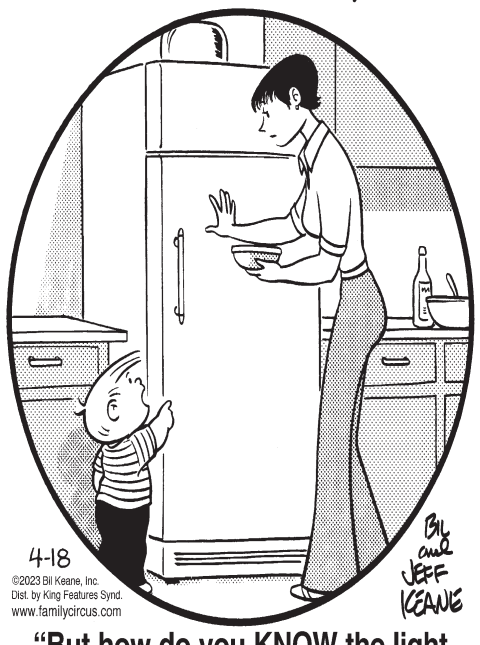
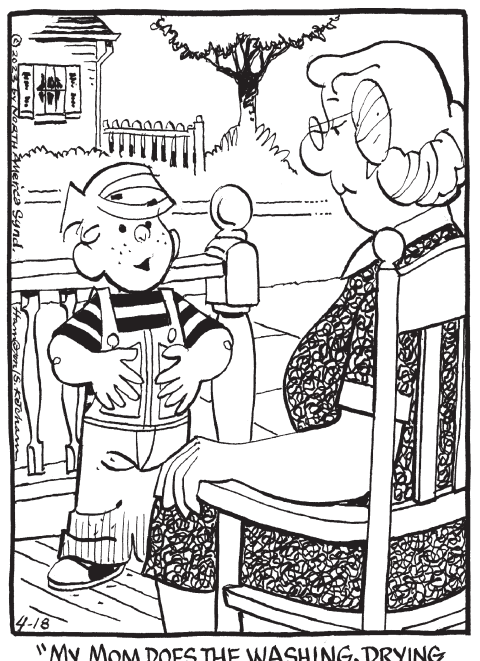


"But how do you KNOW the light goes out in there whenever you shut the door?"

DENNIS THE MENACE



"My Mom does the washing, drying and folding... and it's my JOB to do the wearing."

BABY BLUES

MOM, CAN I SIT IN YOUR COMPUTER CHAIR?
ARE YOU JUST GOING TO SPIN AROUND IN CIRCLES UNTIL YOU THROW UP?
COULD THERE BE ANY OTHER REASON?
TAKE IT OUTSIDE.
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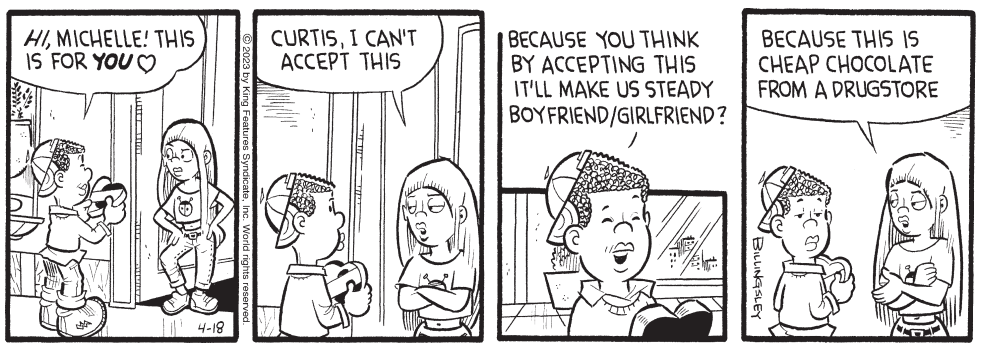
HI, MICHELLE! THIS IS FOR YOU
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CURTIS, I CAN'T ACCEPT THIS
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BECAUSE YOU THINK BY ACCEPTING THIS IT'LL MAKE US STEADY BOYFRIEND/GIRLFRIEND?
BECAUSE THIS IS CHEAP CHOCOLATE FROM A DRUGSTORE
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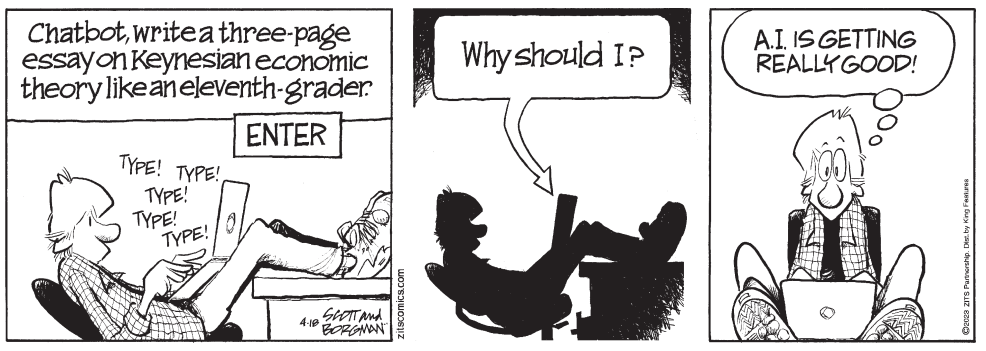
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TYPE! TYPE! TYPE! TYPE! TYPE!
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Why should I?
A.I. IS GETTING REALLY GOOD!
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TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Tuesday, April 18, the 108th day of 2023. There are 257 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On April 18, 1775, Paul Revere began his famous ride from Charlestown to Lexington, Massachusetts, warning colonists that British Regular troops were approaching.

On this date:

In 1865, Confederate Gen. Joseph E. Johnston surrendered to Union Maj. Gen. William T. Sherman near Durham Station in North Carolina.

In 1906, a devastating earthquake struck San Francisco, followed by raging fires; estimates of the final death toll range between 3,000 and 6,000.

In 1923, the first game was played at the original Yankee Stadium in New York; the Yankees defeated the Boston Red Sox 4-1.

In 1966, Bill Russell was named player-coach of the Boston Celtics, becoming the NBA's first Black coach.

In 1978, the Senate approved the Panama Canal Treaty, providing for the complete turnover of control of the waterway to Panama on the last day of 1999.

In 1983, 63 people, including 17 Americans, were killed at the U.S. Embassy in Beirut, Lebanon, by a suicide bomber.

In 2002, police arrested actor Robert Blake in the shooting death of his wife, Bonny Lee Bakley, nearly a year earlier (Blake was acquitted at his criminal trial but found liable in a civil trial).

In 2015, a ship believed to be carrying more than 800 migrants from Africa sank in the Mediterranean off Libya; only about 30 people were rescued.

In 2016, "Hamilton," Lin-Manuel Miranda's hip-hop stage biography of America's first treasury secretary, won the Pulitzer Prize for drama.

In 2019, the final report from special counsel Robert Mueller's Russia investigation was made public; it outlined Russian interference in the 2016 presidential election but did not establish that members of the Trump campaign conspired or coordinated with the Russian government.

Ten years ago: The FBI released surveillance camera images of two suspects in the Boston Marathon bombing and asked for the public's help in identifying them, hours after President Barack Obama and first lady Michelle Obama attended an interfaith service at a Roman Catholic cathedral.

Five years ago: Cuba's government selected 57-year-old First Vice President Miguel Mario Diaz-Canel Bermudez as the sole candidate to succeed President Raul Castro, a move that would install someone from outside the Castro family in the country's highest office for the first time in nearly six decades; the 86-year-old Castro would remain head of the Communist Party. Amid a blackout that affected much of the rest of Puerto Rico, generators helped keep the lights on at a stadium in San Juan for the second of two games between the Cleveland Indians and the Minnesota Twins.

One year ago: Russia launched a long-feared, full-scale offensive to take control of Ukraine's east, the country's mostly Russian-speaking industrial heartland, where Moscow-backed separatists had been fighting Ukrainian forces for eight years.

Today's Birthdays: Actor Clive Revill is 93. Actor Robert Hooks is 86. Actor Hayley Mills is 77. Actor James Woods is 76. Actor-director Dorothy Lyman is 76. Actor Cindy Pickett is 76. Actor Rick Moranis is 70. Actor Melody Thomas Scott is 67. Actor Eric Roberts is 67. Actor John James is 67. Rock musician Les Pattinson (Echo and the Bunnymen) is 65. Author-journalist Susan Faludi is 64. Actor Jane Leeves is 62. Ventriloquist-comedian Jeff Dunham is 61. Talk show host Conan O'Brien is 60. Actor Eric McCormack is 60. Actor Maria Bello is 56. Actor Mary Birdsong is 55. Actor David Hewlett is 55. Rock musician Greg Eklund (The Oolahs) is 53. Actor Lisa Locicero is 53. Actor Fredro Starr is 52. Actor David Tennant is 52. Rock musician Mark Tremonti is 49. R&B singer Trina (Trina and Tamara) is 49. Actor Melissa Joan Hart is 47. Actor Sean Maguire is 47. Actor Kevin Rankin is 47. Actor Bryce Johnson is 46. Reality TV star Kourtney Kardashian (kar-DASH'-ee-uhn) is 44. Detroit Tigers first baseman and DH Miguel Cabrera is 40. Actor America Ferrera is 39. Actor Tom Hughes is 38. Actor Ellen Woglom (TV: "Marvel's Inhumans") is 36. Actor Vanessa Kirby is 35. Actor Alia Shawkat is 34. Actor Britt Robertson is 33. Actor Chloe Bennet is 31. Rock singer Nathan Sykes (The Wanted) is 30. Actor Moises Arias is 29.

Bethany Legacy pledges $350K to playgound

Portion of funds require match

BY BOB DEMAREE

The Town of Dupont is about to be transformed by a new playground where children can play and their caretakers can gather to build community.

Bethany Legacy Foundation will award a total of $350,000 for the playground in Dupont. The award is a base grant of $250,000 and an additional $100,000 as a dollar-for-dollar community match award.

This investment is in partnership with the Community Foundation of Madison and Jefferson County and the Women's Giving Circle, a program at the Community Foundation. They will contribute a combined total of $35,000 to the project.

This grant award allows Bethany Legacy Foundation to fulfill some of its core goals of improving long-term health in Jefferson County by encouraging physical activity and providing places for multigenerational interaction across the county. This also aligns with one of the Women's Giving Circle's fields of interest, physical and mental health. The Community Foundation is excited to be a part of this citizen led effort, both as a funder and advisor.

The Dupont Playground effort is led by a group of volunteers who have been actively fundraising. The group has held dinners, raffles and on Saturday a dinner, raffle and vintage item silent auction. The volunteers along with the Community Foundation, Women's Giving Circle, and Bethany Legacy Foundation are also asking the community to support the project to reach the community match goal of $100,000 through donations and other pledges.

Handout

An designer's depiction of what the proposed playground would look like at Dupont.

According to Dawn Jines, president of the Dupont Community Playground/Park Committee, there are several ways to take part in this matching grant opportunity.

Individuals and/or organizations can make a general donation to the project or buy a brick for a sidewalk in the park. Bricks are $75 each and can be engraved with an individual or family name or as a memorial to a loved one.

Another opportunity to give is to participate in or sponsor the ATV/Jeep/Motorcycle Benefit Ride on Saturday, June 17. Registration starts at the Dupont Firehouse at 11 a.m. with early registration available as well. Those who sponsor $100 in advance will have their name on the event T-shirt.

Residents can look for other opportunities to give and follow the progress of the park by joining the Dupont Community Playground/Park Facebook page. There is also a gofundme page at https://www.gofundme.com/f/dupont-community-playground-park

The cast of Xanadu comes together for this weekend's performances at Madison Consolidated High School's Opal E. Sherman Auditorium. There will be four stagings — Friday and Saturday at 7 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday at 2:30 p.m. The musical is based on the 1980 film starring Olivia Newton-John.

STAGE

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Performances are Friday and Saturday at 7 p.m. with matinee shows Saturday and Sunday at 2:30 p.m. at MCHS's Opal E. Sherman Auditorium. Tickets at the door are $17 for adults and $7 for students. Tickets purchased online at www.madisontheatre.in are $14 for adults and $5 for students. Adult tickets are $4 off for matinees.

Lilly Guirguis and Sophie Guirguis, who are sisters, also play sisters in the musical — Lilly as Calliope and Sophie as Melpomene — are muses who work to keep Xanadu from Kira. Yet, even in their efforts towards denying Xanadu, they're not sure exactly what Xanadu entails. Sophie noted one of her lines is, "Xanadu, the gifts are grand that none of us truly knows what it is."

"Xanadu is like happiness for eternity, and the greatest gift of all; that everybody wants to achieve that." Royce said.

Other cast members are Zoe Bullock as Euterpe, Mia Mires as Erato, Jack Heckler as Danny Maguire, Saba Chabukashvili as Thalia and Karson Couch as Terpsicore. The chorus includes Shelby Priebe, Kiara Bauer, Hailey Caudle, Nora Dillman, Avery Clayton, Reilly Kuppler, Hunter Thompson, Izzy Jett, Emma Reilmann, Emma Wynn and Preston Kuppler. Andre Howard is the music supervisor and assistant director.

Royce said the musical is one audiences will enjoy. "It's just really unique. It was a well-known movie with a lot of songs that are familiar to a lot of people who grew up in the 80s. It has a lot of references that people will get, and will generally find fun."

Clint Hearne (left) and Andie Royce share the mirrorball from this weekend's production of Xanadu. Hearne plays Sonny Malone while Royce plays Kira.

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Chamber looking for new executive director

BY BOB DEMAREE

Almost a year after being hired to lead the Madison Area Chamber of Commerce, the Chamber has announced that Richard Ice is no longer the organization's executive director.

Contacted Wednesday evening about his departure from the Chamber, Ice said he felt good about the job he had done as executive director but had decided to return to his former job as general manager of New Washington Hardware. "They called, and asked if I wanted to come back, and I said yes," said Ice. "I've been in retail for 30 years. That's what I know; that's what I'm good at."

In a letter sent last week to members, the Chamber said it would be advertising in the near future for a new executive director and that Marketing Director Liz Ciganovich would be taking over office duties with board members stepping up as needed.

Contacted on Tuesday, Chamber President Rhonda Pennington said the Chamber "will not comment on personnel changes. The Chamber is continuing business as normal."

Ice began work as executive director on April 14, 2022, replacing Emilee Roberts who resigned in January 2022 after two years in the position.

A Madison native, Ice began his work career as a child at his family's Gateway grocery on Madison's hilltop. After graduating from Indiana State University with a bachelor of science degree in radio, TV and film, he sold advertising at WORX radio, and then worked at radio stations in Elwood and Anderson. He then had numerous retail and sales positions with the last one being at New Washington Hardware for more than a year beginning in 2021, and now again in 2023.

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Madison honors Collins 50 years after his state championship

BY DAVID CAMPBELL

Madison's Dave Collins came to running relatively late, discovering the sport in high school long after he had tried every other athletic endeavor. But it didn't take Collins long to establish himself as one of the best runners in Madison Consolidated High School history.

Fifty years after winning the state championship in the 2-mile run — still Madison's lone state title in track & field or cross country — Collins was honored by the City of Madison and the State of Indiana during Saturday's Madison Track & Field Invitational at Cub Field.

Madison Mayor Bob Courtney, a runner himself who grew up watching Collins and helped lead the Cub runners in high school, declared April 15 "Dave Collins Day" while State Rep. Randy Frye was on hand to present a special declaration from the Indiana House of Representatives and to name Collins a "Distinguished Hoosier."

Madison's Dave Collins (second from left) poses with Madison cross country coach Kris Sandlin (far left), Madison Mayor Bob Courtney (third from left) and State Rep. Randy Frye (far right) after being honored on the 50th anniversary of his state championship in the 2-mile run on Saturday at the Madison Track & Field Invitational.

Not bad for a guy who "failed" at every sport he tried and wasn't even his team's best runner as a junior.

"I hope other aspiring young athletes could aspire and identify with what I'm about to say. For a little kid who just very much wanted to succeed, to be popular, and to chase girls, to become Madison's first individual state champion in anything is an honor," Collins said, addressing the crowd. "Like most boys, I tried several sports and I was terrible at all of them. But running, that had me hooked."

It was at the Lide White Boys & Girls Club that it was suggested that Collins take up cross country. Although he had never heard of the sport, meeting coach Lou Knoble was enough to draw him to that course.

Madison was an emerging cross country power in the southeastern part of the state in the 1970s and Collins was right in the middle of it. But as a junior, he was just the third-fastest runner on a team that made the state finals.

It was Collins' high school teammate, Brad Ferguson, who kicked him into another gear — something for which Collins is eternally grateful.

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Photos by David Campbell

Madison's Dave Collins waves to the crowd after being honored on Saturday for the 50th anniversary of his state championship in the 2-mile run.

Madison girls run to 3rd-straight win in own track invitational

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Madison girls track & field won nine events and pulled away for the win in the Madison Invitational on Saturday, the Lady Cubs' third-straight victory in the meet.

Cadence Traylor and Hannah Dart each won two individual events to pace Madison, which invited 10 schools to the invitational, including Shawe, Southwestern and Switzerland County.

"Unbelievable efforts everywhere today in the track and the field. Personal records, meet records, and ladies leaving everything they had out there," Madison girls coach Patrick Maschino said. "The results speak for themselves."

Traylor won both of the long distance races, claiming the 1600-meter run in 5:42.86 and the 3200 run in 12:48.46. Dart won both throwing events, winning the discus at 93 feet, 10 inches and the shot put at 34 feet, 8.5 inches.

Other wins for the Lady Cubs were: Audrey Miller, 400 dash, 1:04.67; Dellah Gibson, high jump, 5-0; Eliza Burnett, long jump, 14-10.5; Libby Bronkella, pole vault, 9-3; and the 400 relay, 53.90.

Madison's boys picked up two wins with Chip Cox taking the pole vault at 12 feet, 7 inches and Colton Copeland winning the high jump at 5 feet, 10 inches.

Southwestern's Carter Harmon won the boys 110 hurdles in 16.88 for the Rebels' lone win on the day.

Other top finishes for the Madison girls were: Bridget Cline, second, high jump, 4-10; Gibson, second, long jump, 14-3.5; Hannah Combs, second, pole vault, 8-0; 3200 relay, second, 10:32.82; 1600 relay, third, 4:53.72; Ava Spencer, fourth, 1600 run, 6:03.90 and fifth, 800 run, 2:46.64; Autumn Ross, fifth, 100 dash, 13.45; Aimee Rijnart, fifth, 100 hurdles, 20.00 and fifth, 300 hurdles, 57.61; and Jasmine Mireles, fifth, discus, 74-4.

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Patrick Maschino

Madison's girls track & field team won the Madison Invitational for the third-straight year.

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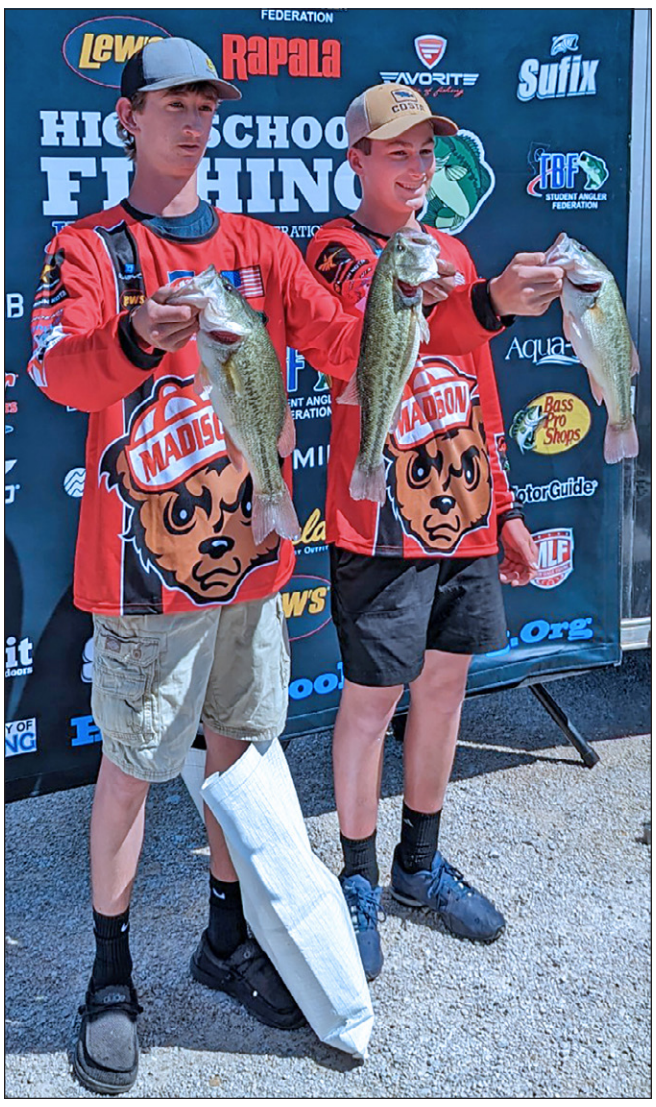
Madison's Libby Bronkella clears the bar in the pole vault at 9 feet, 3 inches to win the event at the Madison Invitational on Saturday.



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Madison's Nathaniel Trueblood and Grady Field display their bass after competing in the Student Angler Federation Indiana State Finals at Patoka Lake on Saturday. The duo placed 12th overall.

Madison duo places 12th in HS state fishing finals

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Madison Consolidated High School's Nathaniel Trueblood and Grady Field competed in the Student Angler Federation Indiana State Finals at Patoka Lake on Saturday. The event had 60 teams for a total of 120 anglers from across the state.

The Cub duo, along with boat captain Michael Trueblood, weighed in three bass for 7.04 pounds. This placed them 12th on the day.

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LOCAL SPORTS CALENDAR

Tuesday, April 18

BASEBALL
Southwestern at New Washington, 5 p.m.
Trimble Co. at Gallatin Co., 5:30 p.m.
Carroll Co. hosts Owen Co., 6 p.m.
Madison at Seymour, 6 p.m.

GOLF
Shawe hosts Rising Sun, South Dearborn, 5 p.m.

SOFTBALL
Southwestern at South Decatur, 5 p.m.
Switzerland Co. hosts Providence, 5:30 p.m.
Carroll Co. hosts Owen Co., 6 p.m.

TENNIS
Carroll Co., Trimble Co., NCKC Tournament at Trimble Co., TBA
Madison at Jeffersonville, 5 p.m.
Southwestern at South Dearborn, 5 p.m.

TRACK & FIELD
Shawe at Oldenburg, 5 p.m.
Switzerland Co., Tiger Relays at Lawrenceburg, 5 p.m.
Carroll Co., NCKTC Championships at Henry Co., 5:30 p.m.
Madison at Seymour, 5:30 p.m.

VOLLEYBALL
Madison hosts Jeffersonville, 6 p.m.

Wednesday, April 19

BASEBALL
Shawe hosts South Decatur, 5 p.m.
Southwestern at Milan, 5 p.m.
Switzerland Co. hosts New Washington, 5:30 p.m.

GOLF
Shawe at Jac-Cen-Del, 4:30 p.m.
Switzerland Co. at South Dearborn, 4:30 p.m.
Southwestern hosts Shawe, New Washington, 5 p.m.

LACROSSE
Hanover women hosts Spalding, 4 p.m.

SOFTBALL
Southwestern at Milan, 5 p.m.
Madison at Lawrenceburg, 5:30 p.m.
Switzerland Co. at New Washington, 5:30 p.m.

TENNIS
Carroll Co., Trimble Co., NCKC Tournament at Trimble Co., TBA
Southwestern at Borden, 5 p.m.

Thursday, April 20

BASEBALL
Shawe at Henryville, 5:30 p.m.
Trimble Co. hosts Gallatin Co., 5:30 p.m.
Carroll Co. at Owen Co., 6 p.m.

SOFTBALL
Trimble Co. at Gallatin Co., 5:30 p.m.
Carroll Co. at Owen Co., 6 p.m.

TENNIS
Carroll Co. hosts Walton-Verona, 4 p.m.
Madison at Columbus East, 5 p.m.
Shawe hosts Christian Academy, 5 p.m.

TRACK & FIELD
Shawe at Crothersville, 5 p.m.
Southwestern at South Dearborn, 5 p.m.
Madison hosts Corydon, Brownstown, 6 p.m.

VOLLEYBALL
Madison at Jac-Cen-Del, 6 p.m.

Friday, April 21

BASEBALL
Madison, Big Mac Classic, 5 p.m.
Southwestern at Batesville, 5:30 p.m.
Trimble Co. at Pendleton Co., 5:30 p.m.
Switzerland Co. at Gallatin Co., 7 p.m.

SOFTBALL
Madison hosts Southwestern, 5 p.m.

TENNIS
Madison hosts Jennings Co., 5 p.m.

TRACK & FIELD
Hanover, Friday Night Spikes at Rose-Hulman, 4 p.m.
Carroll Co., Grant Co. Invitational, 5:30 p.m.

VOLLEYBALL
Southwestern boys host Madison, 6 p.m.

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Bats come alive to lead Madison softball to 2 wins

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Madison's offense produced 31 runs and powered the Cubs to softball wins over South Ripley and Batesville before going silent in a loss to Class 3A No. 8 Corydon on Saturday.

Madison hammered South Ripley 20-5 on Thursday then beat Batesville 11-0 on a combined no-hitter on Friday.

Corydon stopped the Madison blitz with a 10-0 win on Saturday.

Madison collected 15 hits in the hammering of South Ripley. Lexi Sullivan was 2-for-3 with a home run, five RBIs and a run scored to lead the onslaught while Cam Mann was 2-for-3 with a double, two RBIs and two runs scored. Kylie Montgomery had two hits and scored three runs, Casey Dyer was 2-for-2 with a double, an RBI and two runs, Hailey Huffman had two hits and an RBI and Andie Royce had two hits and scored twice for the Cubs.

Ava Armbrecht gave up just a hit and struck out five in a brief two-inning appearance but picked up the win.

Madison survived a scary situation on Friday when junior Kallie Eder collapsed on the field after delivering a pitch to beat Batesville 11-0.

Eder lay motionless on the field for a brief moment before regaining consciousness. She eventually walked off the field under her own power and later was diagnosed as dehydrated on what was the first truly hot day of the season.

Before Eder left the game in the second inning, she had allowed only one walk in a scoreless inning-plus of work.

Armbrecht relieved her in the circle and struck out seven and walked two in four scoreless innings of relief to finish off the combined no-hitter. Eder was awarded the win and Armbrecht received a save.

Madison's offense had struck for four runs in the bottom of the first inning and added seven in the fourth for the final margin. Emily Laufer had two hits and drove in two runs, Bailey Owens had two hits, an RBI and a run, Sullivan had a hit, two RBIs and two runs scored, Eder, Dyer and Montgomery each had a hit and scored a run, and Molly Armbrecht scored two runs.

David Campbell

Madison catcher Lexi Sullivan tags out Batesville's Natasha Fowler (16) during the Cubs' 11-0 softball win at home on Friday.

David Campbell

Madison's Casey Dyer (left) smiles at head coach Tim Torrance gives her a pat on the back after advancing to third base during the Cubs' 11-0 win over Batesville on Friday.

A short-handed Madison squad was held to just a Dyer single in the 10-0 loss to Corydon. Owens started in the cir

cle and suffered the loss after allowing five earned runs on three hits in two innings with five walks.

Madison, now 9-4 on the season, traveled to New Washington on Monday and heads to Lawrenceburg on Wednesday.

The Cubs then host Southwestern on Friday.

SOFTBALL ROUNDUP

Trimble wins slugfest with Shelby, routs Gallatin

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Alanna Washington singled in Maddie Nixon for the winning run in the bottom of the 10th inning as Trimble County beat Shelby County 18-17 in first game of a round robin in Bedford on Saturday.

The two teams took turns slugging it out. Shelby led 7-0 after the second inning and 12-3 after the fourth before Trimble began to rally, scoring six runs in the fifth and five more in the sixth to tie the game. Each team continued scoring in the extra innings and the Raiders tied the game in the 10th on an error that loaded the bases. Washington then brought in Nixon with the game-winner.

Kaylee Payton went 3-for-5 with a triple, two RBIs and two runs scored for the Raiders while Emma Ginn was 3-for-6 with two runs scored. Alyssa Ritchie had two hits, three RBIs and two runs scored, Washington had two hits and scored three times, Jaelynn Holbrook had two hits and scored twice, Jocie Stucker hit a home run and drove in three, Shelby Wright had a double and three RBIs and Hannah Chilton had a double and two RBIs.

Chilton came in to pitch in the third inning and went the rest of the way to get the win. She allowed six earned runs on seven hits in eight innings of work with three strikeouts.

Trimble didn't need any heroics in a 16-1 win over Gallatin County in the second game. Ginn blasted two home runs — her ninth and 10th dingers of the season — and added a double while driving in five runs and scoring three to lead the way. Stucker had two hits, an RBI and two runs scored, Holbrook had a hit and scored three times, and Nixon, Payton and Savannah Oldson each had a hit and drove in a run.

Ritchie allowed one unearned run on four hits in two innings with two strikeouts to get the win.

Trimble, now 12-4 on the season, hosted North Oldham on Monday and heads to Gallatin County on Thursday.

REBELS SPLIT ROUND-ROBIN

Southwestern hammered Austin 14-3 but then lost 18-3 to Mitchell in a round-robin at home on Saturday.

Ashley Fulton hit her first home run of the season and went 2-for-3 with two runs scored in the win over Austin. Chloey Leach was 3-for-4 with a double, two RBIs and two runs scored, Rorie Scroggins was 2-for-3 with a triple and a run scored, Nataley Morrison was 2-for-4 with a double, two RBIs and a run, Riley Scroggins had a double and two RBIs, Allie Birchfield had a triple and three RBIs, and Breona Brewer had a double and drove in a run.

Fulton pitched all five innings to get the win, allowing three unearned runs on three hits with seven strikeouts.

The Rebels had the tables turned on them in the second game, getting just four hits in the 18-3 loss to Mitchell. Fulton had three of those hits, going 3-for-3 with a triple, a double and two runs scored. Brewer had a single and an RBI for Southwestern's only other hit.

Leach started and suffered the loss, allowing eight earned runs on 13 hits in three and a third innings with three strikeouts.

Southwestern, now 4-6 on the season, hosted South Ripley on Monday and travels to South Decatur on Tuesday. The Rebels then head to Milan on Wednesday before going to Madison on Friday.

PANTHERS FALL TO SOUTH OLDHAM

Carroll County out-hit South Oldham 8-4 but five errors doomed the Panthers in a 5-2 loss at home on Thursday.

Taylor Butler went 3-for-3 with a double and a run scored and Reagan Matthews was 2-for-3 with a double for the Panthers. Mallory Noble had a triple, an RBI and a run scored, and Brinley Couch and Macy Coghill each had hits.

Noble gave up four unearned runs on two hits in four innings and suffered the loss.

Carroll, now 5-6 on the season, hosts Owen County on Tuesday and travels to Owen on Thursday.

TUESDAY EVENING

	Jefferson Switzerland	Trimble/ Carroll	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
3 WAVE	6	2	WA..	NBC..	WA..	News	Night	Amer..	The Wall (N)		Weak Link (N)		WA..
4 WTTV	4		CBS4..	CBS..	BigBa..	Sheldon	FBI (N)		FBI: Int (N)		FBI-Wanted (N)		CBS4..
5 WLWT	2		News	NBC..	WLWT	Holly..	Night	Amer..	The Wall (N)		Weak Link (N)		News
8 WISH	12		News (N)		Insid..	ET (N)	Superman		Gotham Kn.		News (N)		News
9 WCPO	23		News	World..	News	The List	The Rookie (N)		Feds (N)		Will Trent (N)		News
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15 WKPC	13		Ameri..	Edition	NewsHour (N)		Roots		My Grandp (N)		Saba (N)		BBC..
19 WXIX	10		FOX19	FOX19	Wheel	Jeopa..	Lone Star (N)		Accused		FOX19 (N)		FOX19
32 WLKY	5	5	News	CBS..	Wheel	Jeopa..	FBI (N)		FBI: Int (N)		FBI-Wanted (N)		News
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9 WCPO	23		News	World..	News	The List	Conners	Goldb..	Abbott	NotDe..	A Million (N)		News
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DISN	25	29	Kiff	Hams..	Ladyb..	Marvel..	Big City	Big City	Villains	Villains	Big City	Hams..	Marvel..
ESPN	32	44	SportCtr (N)		NHL Hockey First Round: Teams TBA (N)				NHL Hockey				
FREE	18	40	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	Single	Single	700Club
FX	40	28	(4:30) ✟ Captai...		✟★★★ The Avengers ('12) Robert Downey Jr..						Snowfall (N) (F)		Snow..
HBO	201	17	Perry Mason		REAL Sports		✟ All the Beauty & the Bloodshed				Barry	Barry	✟ Push
MAX	270	73	(:05) ✟★★★ District 9 ('09)				✟★★ MI-5 ('15)			(:45) ✟★★★ The Bourne Identity			
NEWSNTN	20	20	Elizabeth (N)		On Balance (N)		Cuomo (N)		Dan Abrams		Banfield (N)		Cuomo
PARMT	35	41	TwoM..	TwoM..	TwoM..	TwoM..	✟★★ The Longest Yard ('05) Adam Sandler.						Movie
SHOW	221	16	(5:00) ✟ Uncut ...		(:15) Waco: The		✟★★★ Casino ('95) Sharon Stone, Robert De Niro.						Waco..
TMC	233	74	(5:45) ✟★★★ The Elephant Man				✟★★★ Nicholas Nickleby ('02)				(:15) ✟ Mr. Malcolm's ...		
TNT	27	43	Lucifer		Prega..		Basketball TBA at Memphis Grizzlies (N)				NBA Basketball		
USA	26	33	Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-S..

THURSDAY EVENING

	Jefferson Switzerland	Trimble/ Carroll	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
3 WAVE	6	2	WA..	NBC..	WA..	News	Law & Order		Law-SVU		Law & Order		WA..
4 WTTV	4		CBS4..	CBS..	BigBa..	Sheldon	Sheldon	Ghosts	So Help Me		CSI: Vegas		CBS4..
5 WLWT	2		News	NBC..	WLWT	Holly..	Law & Order		Law-SVU		Law & Order		News
8 WISH	12		News	Eart..	Zone	ET (N)	Walker		Superman		News (N)		News
9 WCPO	23		News	World..	News	The List	Station 19 (N)		Anatomy (N)		Good Dr		News
11 WHAS	11	4	News	World..	ET (N)	Insid..	Station 19 (N)		Anatomy (N)		Good Dr		News
15 WKPC	13		Ameri..	Edition	NewsHour (N)		Antiques (N)		Doc Martin		Father Brown		BBC..
19 WXIX	10		FOX19	FOX19	Wheel	Jeopa..	Next Level (N)		Animal	Welco..	FOX19 (N)		FOX19
32 WLKY	5	5	News	CBS..	Wheel	Jeopa..	Sheldon	Ghosts	So Help Me		CSI: Vegas		News
34 WBKI	7	7	Neighb..	House..	Sheldon	BigBa..	Walker		Superman		BigBa..	Sheldon	black-i..
41 WDRB	8	9	WD..	News	Judge..	Judge..	Next Level (N)		Animal	Welco..	WDRB News		WD..
A&E	28	36	The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		First (N)		City Conf. (N)		First48
AMC	29	26	(5:30) ✟★★★ My Cousin Vinny				✟★★★ Gran Torino ('08) Clint Eastwood.				✟★★★ The Rock		
COM	45	59	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	(:20) The Office		TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	Daily..
DISC	31	38	BattleBots "Pizza Party" (N)				BattleBots "The Unbeatables" (N)				Mark (N)		Mark
DISN	25	29	Kiff	Hams..	Ladyb..	Marvel..	Big City	Big City	Bunk'd	Bunk'd	Big City	Hams..	Marvel..
ESPN	32	44	SportCtr (N)		NHL Hockey First Round: Teams TBA (N)				NHL Hockey				
FREE	18	40	(5:00) ✟ The S...		✟★★★ The Parent Trap ('98) Lindsay Lohan.						Good Trbl (N)		700Club
FX	40	28	(4:00) ✟ Bohem...		✟★★ Jurassic World: Fallen Kingdom ('18)						✟ Jurassic World: Fall...		
HBO	201	17	(4:00) ✟ The Ba...		(:55) Succession		Succession		(:05) ✟★★ House Party		Rain..		Mason
MAX	270	73	Movie	✟★★ Bullet to the Head			✟★★ Aeon Flux ('05)			(:35) ✟ Frank Miller's Sin City			
NEWSNTN	20	20	Elizabeth (N)		On Balance (N)		Cuomo (N)		Dan Abrams		Banfield (N)		Cuomo
PARMT	35	41	TwoM..	TwoM..	TwoM..	TwoM..	✟★★ Major League ('89) Tom Berenger.				✟★★★ Twister		
SHOW	221	16	AllAc..	✟★★★ Flight ('12) Denzel Washington.					Waco..	(:45) Yellow	(:45) ✟ Panama		
TMC	233	74	(:20) ✟ The Novice ('21)				✟ Becky ('20)			(:35) ✟ Sound of Violence			(:10) ✟ X
TNT	27	43	(5:00) ✟ Game...		Prega..		Basketball Philadelphia 76ers at TBA (N)				NBA Basketball		
USA	26	33	Law-SVU		Law-SVU		✟★★★ Independence Day ('96) Will Smith.						Movie

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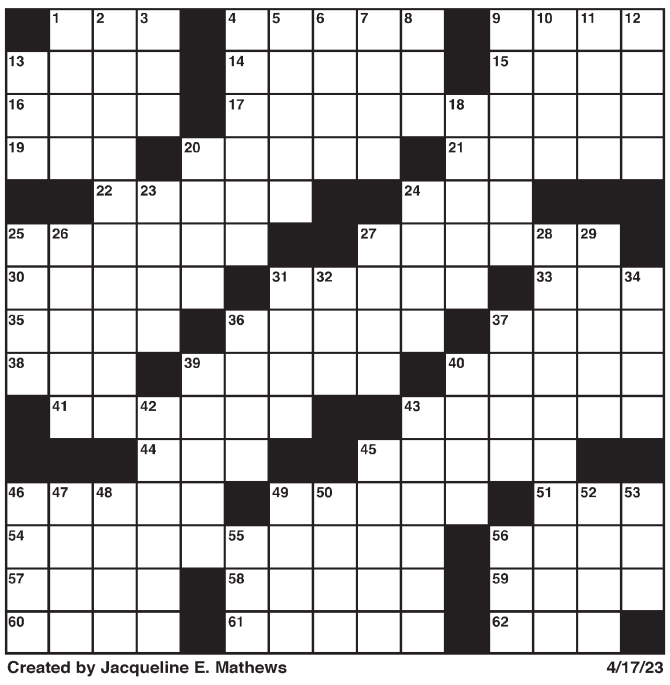

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ACROSS
1 "Need I __ more?"
4 Yellowish orange
9 Jackson Five hairdo
13 Wear a long face
14 Not all there
15 Garden intruder
16 Wrought __ fence
17 Nitwit
19 Advent's mo.
20 Repairs
21 Beverly __, CA
22 Come __; unravel
24 Need a doctor
25 Permanent places
27 Proprietors
30 Deep hole
31 Part of VCR
33 Sprite
35 Engrossed
36 Kelly & Wilder
37 Unsightly mark
38 Donkey
39 Prom-goers
40 Pied Piper's instrument
41 Stranger
43 Pass, as time
44 BPOE member
45 Thin pancake
46 Rough push
49 Like Helen Keller
51 Crash into
54 Local judiciary official
56 Inhale suddenly
57 "__ is not to reason why…"
58 Allergic reaction
59 Neighbor of Nevada
60 Giddiness
61 Bread ingredient
62 Bedtime, for some

DOWN
1 Ticked off
2 "__ Now"; Brando/Sheen/Hopper film
3 Dough for sukiyaki?
4 Toothed-leaved trees
5 Sinai or Fuji
6 Firm connection
7 Ceases
8 Bread for a Reuben
9 For __; temporarily
10 __ for; empathize with
11 Bona fide
12 Bookie's concern
13 Prefix for night or way
18 Massive mammal
20 "A __ got to do what a…"
23 Honeycomb cereal maker
24 Amazes
25 Actress Gilbert
26 Belittle; demean
27 Poems of praise
28 Get well
29 Bench boards
31 Go off course
32 Lodge
34 On the house
36 Nerd kin
37 High-five sound
39 Mah-jongg pieces
40 Ran away
42 Make changes in
43 Actor Borgnine
45 Gives a ticket to
46 Air pollution
47 Lug
48 Shrek, for one
49 Cheese that's good with fruit
50 Molten rock
52 As strong __ ox
53 Speedometer letters
55 Your, to Shakespeare
56 Abdomen

Today's Puzzle Solved

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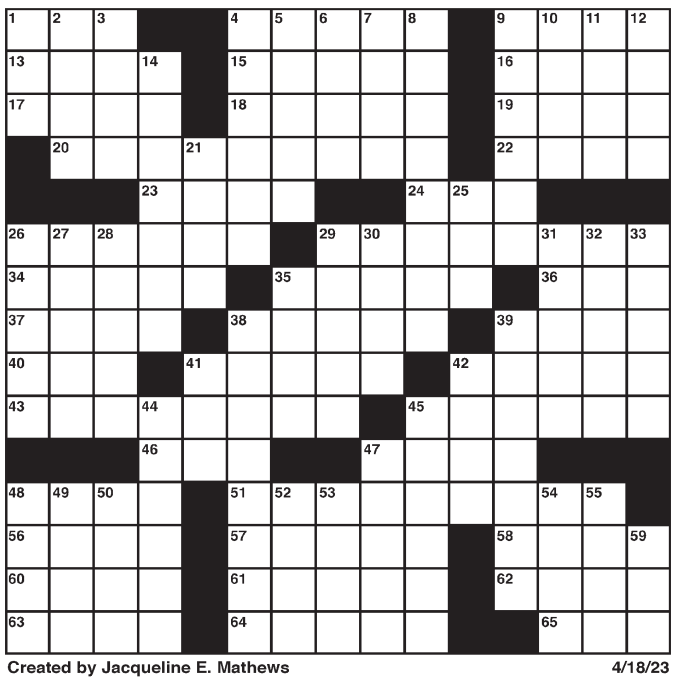

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ACROSS
1 Word with Mexico or York
4 Actor Ed
9 Wallet items
13 Sharp tools
15 Uber user's need
16 Toy with a string
17 Has-__; one no longer popular
18 Black-and-white animal
19 Ragout
20 Cowardly
22 Knight & Turner
23 Ring out
24 Be in arrears
26 Drive forward
29 Yellow birds
34 Remained optimistic
35 Lightweight motorbike
36 Blade moisture
37 In the sack
38 Trimmed a fairway
39 Stringed instrument
40 Gentleman
41 Lassos
42 Actress Louis-Dreyfus
43 Lovestruck
45 Biblical bed
46 Munched on
47 11th word in "Jack and Jill"
48 Gobsmacked
51 Move back and forth
56 Indonesian island
57 Pole __; Olympics sport
58 Bleats
60 Actor Brody
61 Bit of BBQ residue
62 "That looks disgusting!"
63 Frenchman's name
64 All prepared
65 Bashful

DOWN
1 Arrest
2 Alimony recipients
3 Cry
4 Earnest request
5 "We __ Overcome"
6 Zero
7 Tight __; football positions
8 Used logic
9 Edible shellfish
10 Jot down
11 Looked over
12 Plants
14 Clipped off split ends
21 Requirement
25 Hunk of gum
26 __ out; eliminate gradually
27 Songbird
28 La Scala offering
29 Intimidated
30 Gorillas & orangutans
31 Rustic poem
32 Spooky
33 Brow beads
35 Pout
38 Additionally
39 Night song
41 Go bad
42 Slammer
44 Strasbourg señora
45 Meager
47 Stacked
48 Not quite closed
49 Get your feet wet
50 Former U.S. senator Bayh
52 "I'll have what he's having"
53 Desi Arnaz's birthplace
54 Greek letters
55 Per person
59 Heaven above

Today's Puzzle Solved

Mother ponders family's entrenched estrangement

AMY DICKINSON
ASK AMY

Dear Amy: I am the mother of three daughters, and I'm hurting so bad.

During the pandemic in 2020, my middle daughter (an anesthesiologist) passed away suddenly.

She lived several states away from me.

My oldest daughter and youngest daughter immediately flew out to her town.

They did not invite me to fly with them.

I was simply crushed.

I had an accident years ago and lost a great portion of my hearing, so navigating an airport was just too stressful for me to handle alone.

Driving more than 1,000 miles alone was not an option, either.

Sadly, I did not get to attend the funeral.

I told my oldest daughter how hurt I was over their actions in not helping me to get to the funeral.

I got no response.

It's been almost three years now since I've spoken with my daughters.

Last week was my birthday and I received birthday wishes from one of my daughters.

I answered back and told her once again how crushed I was over their actions.

I have tried to justify this over and over, and still I am simply floored that both of my daughters could be so cold and uncaring.

How do I move past this? — Hurting so Bad

Dear Hurting: I'm so sorry for your loss, and for all the subsequent loss that seems to have resulted from it.

My own way of trying to understand seemingly incomprehensible events is to try to reframe them. This would involve you shelving your understandable hurt and anger in order to understand that your surviving daughters were likely as shocked and hurt as you were by this sudden loss. This might have been a factor in their regrettable behavior.

Grandmother wants to help granddaughter's recovery

AMY DICKINSON
ASK AMY

Dear Amy: I have a beautiful, smart and wonderful 16-year-old granddaughter who is anorexic.

She has been at a special care facility for the past two months and will be returning home within a couple of weeks.

Of course, this is a very emotional and difficult time for her parents, and the whole family.

My question to you is: What do I say to this child? How should I behave with her? Should I talk to her about her sickness?

People tell me to just be myself, but this myself wants to hug her for a long time.

At this point in time, she doesn't allow hugging or touching.

Is there a support group for grandparents I could access?

My whole being hurts so much when I think of the suffering my daughter, son-in-law and her 14-year-old sister are going through!

I truly want to be the grandma who has always supported and loved her. — Hurting Grandma

Dear Grandma: The fact that you are asking this question reveals how important a role you could play in your granddaughter's recovery — just by being yourself. But "being yourself" in this context may feel somewhat surreal.

Keep in mind that returning from an in-patient program marks a stage in recovery, but is not the end of recovery. Your granddaughter's recovery is a process that could take a very long time.

It is common for people returning from treatment to feel awkward, "on stage," and the unwanted focus of the entire family's attention. I think this is especially challenging for teenagers.

The recovering person does not want to be visually scrutinized, touched, hugged, or put at the center of the family's conversation.

You should not discuss her illness, her eating, or even "how healthy she looks."

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ASTROLOGY

ARIES (March 21-April 19) — Take the lead with confidence and your eagerness can inspire the enthusiasms of followers. You might need to offset a desire for dynamic changes with the courage to withstand pressures to stray from the guidelines.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) — It's just not the right time to switch things up despite your urges. You may think that doing things differently could make a difference but it will still be necessary to honor traditions and existing rules for the time being.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) — Take some time to go within and recalibrate your inner compass. Plot a course of action you could use on another day. Your foresight and wisdom may be a sought-after commodity when friends or a partner needs guidance.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) — Some people might elbow their way to the top, but you can choose to rise in a more gentle and authentic way. Brush off advice encouraging you to be more competitive or buy something new if it does not suit your lifestyle.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) — It's best to be patient and disciplined whether other people are or are not. People who are looking for excitement could dare you to ignore possible warnings. You might feel happier if you stick to the program and follow protocol.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — You should have the resources to buy something that piques your interest but you might need that cash for something else later. Choose carefully with whom to place your trust, past history can tell you a lot.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) — Work hard and be patient. By being organized, more tasks can be accomplished, so take pride in your ability to operate efficiently. You may easily become sidetracked by family power struggles or material ambitions.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) — Exploring new territory could require nerves of steel. You may be challenged to keep up with a loved one, a romantic partner or business colleagues who could change their minds or upset your schedule without notice.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) — Some people may believe in the pursuit of happiness, but you might be in pursuit of more profitable employment or better working conditions. Remain discreet; keep sensitive information in a safe place.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — Your passion for achieving material success can be a double-edged sword that can be extremely useful, but also dangerous. If you maintain an unbalanced focus on reaching your ambitions, you could be blind to people's needs.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) — Get your ducks lined up in a straight row. Neatness counts whether you are making a presentation to an authority or just keeping your personal space tidy. Keep financial plans and intentions close to your chest.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) — Your existing commitments could center on home and family, but your job or health might take center stage. Reschedule important telephone calls, face-to-face meetings with new contacts, and signing agreements for now.

ASTROLOGY

ARIES (March 21-April 19) — Remain as cool as a cucumber and beyond reproach when everyone else may push their way to the front of the line. There could be intense struggles for prominence and ascendancy that place you in an awkward spot.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) — A hypothesis is just speculation until it is comprehensively tested and proven. Other people may choose to break away from tired routines; you could hesitate to try something new or agonize about leaving the past behind.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) — There are many ways to gather knowledge. You may want to try some actual experimentation or just become a cosmic researcher delving into the mysteries of the universe. Follow your intuition and passions.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) — Investigate all the information before committing yourself to a new financial plan or closer relationship. Listen to someone who can advise you about sound business practices and focus on using common sense.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) — Your high standards of performance and efficiency can make things run like clockwork but might not give you time for relaxation or fun with loved ones. If you seem too complacent, someone could be tempted to shake things up.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — You may learn faster with an incentive. Once you understand that you can make more money, you will be eager to learn more. Avoid a temptation to retaliate from behind the scenes if your beliefs are challenged.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) — Use an opportunity to call on close friends or a partner for support or for solutions to possible problems. You may struggle to maintain your equilibrium if unexpected events occur or if someone pries into privileged information.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) — Accept things as they are and not how you want them to be. Adjust expectations if someone is unpredictable or tests your patience. Being pragmatic can prevent you from accumulating resentments or taking extreme measures.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) — It may be necessary to take a breath and re-center yourself if plans are changed due to circumstances beyond your control. Climb back out there and continue without fanfare if there are some unexpected interruptions.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — You may wonder where you came from and how you became the person you are today. An investigation into family roots can provide inspiration and purpose. An obsession with mysteries could occupy your free time.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) — You may know deep down that slow and steady wins the race. You can resist risky suggestions from others around you. Let someone else climb that rock without protection; your responsible attitude could keep you safer.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) — Your sensitivity can be a blessing and a curse. Unpack any implied criticism to see what you can learn, but don't take it as a commentary on your value. Being honest can diffuse any confusion or misunderstandings.

BASEBALL ROUNDUP

Switzerland beats Shawe to remain unbeaten in ORVC

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Switzerland County limited Shawe to just three hits in a 6-0 win at home in baseball on Friday.

The Pacers, now 4-0 in Ohio River Valley Conference play, had just six singles of their own, but the pitching of Jackson Sparks made it stick. Sparks struck out eight and walked one while allowing three hits in seven innings.

Sparks also had a hit and drove in three runs while Mason Peelman and Kaleb Koon each had a hit and scored twice. Tyler Hoskins had a hit and an RBI and Roman Hite had a hit and scored a run.

Jacob Hertz had two hits and Casey Hill and Sam Fewell each had one for the Hilltoppers. Wyatt Nichter went the distance, allowing three earned runs on five hits but suffered the loss.

On Saturday, Switzerland dropped a 2-0 decision to South Decatur in a game that featured just three hits combined. Sparks had the Pacers' lone hit in the game while Koons gave up two runs on two hits in two innings and suffered the loss.

Also on Saturday, Shawe defeated Trimble County 8-3. Eric Liu was 3-for-4 with an RBI and two runs scored for the Hilltoppers, Nichter was 2-for-4 with a double and three RBIs, Philip Kahn was 2-for-3 with a double, an RBI and two runs scored, and Hertz and Zach Gish each had a hit and scored a run.

Charlie Liter was 3-for-4 with a run for Trimble, Bray Taylor was 2-for-4 with an RBI, Nate Hance had two hits, Brayden Wilson had a hit, an RBI and a run scored, and Liam Taylor had a hit. Hertz gave up two earned runs and struck out seven in seven innings for the win. Wilson gave up two earned runs on six hits in four innings and took the loss. Shawe, now 4-4 on the season, traveled to Class A No. 5 Rising Sun on Monday and hosts South Decatur on Wednesday. The Hilltoppers then travel to Henryville on Thursday. Trimble, now 2-10 on the year, travels to Gallatin County on Tuesday and hosts Gallatin on Thursday. The Raiders head to Pendleton County on Friday.

CUBS SWEEP LANESVILLE

Madison shut down Lanesville 6-0 in the first game of a doubleheader then erupted for a 27-3 win game two to finish off the sweep on Saturday.

Madison pitchers Colton O'Neal and Ashton Carie combined to allow just two hits in the game one win. O'Neal struck out 11 in four and two-thirds innings and Carie fanned four.

Offensively, Madison banged out 12 hits with Clint Hearne going 2-for-3 with two RBIs, Colin Yancey 2-for-4 with an RBI and two runs, and Drew Forner two hits and an RBI. Craig Demaree and Mitchell Cammack each hit doubles and Ben Orrill had a hit, an RBI and a run scored.

Madison had 20 hits and drew 10 walks in the game-two win. Forner had a monster game at the plate, going 4-for-4 with a home run, a double, seven RBIs and four runs scored. Demaree was 2-for-2 with a home run, double, six RBIs and two runs scored and O'Neal was 2-for-2 with a double, five RBIs and a run. Orrill was 3-for-3 with an RBI and three runs, Nick Johnson was 2-for-6 with a double, an RBI and a run, Bodie Harsin was 2-for-2 with two runs and two RBIs, and Aid Fink was 2-for-3 with an RBI and four runs scored. Harsin got the win after allowing just one unearned run and no hits in three innings with three strikeouts.

Madison, now 6-4 on the season, hosted Switzerland County on Monday and travels to Seymour on Tuesday. The Cubs then host the Big Mac Classic starting Friday at Gary O'Neal Field.

REBELS BEAT HENRYVILLE

Southwestern scored two runs in the bottom of the sixth inning to pull out a 7-5 win over Henryville at home on Friday.

Jordan DeAtley was 2-for-3 with a double, an RBI and two runs scored for the Rebels. Mason Lichlyter had a double, two RBIs and a run, William Stockdale had a hit and two runs, Adam Traylor had a hit and scored a run and Tanner Jacobs had a hit.

Braxton Lewis picked up the win in relief after allowing just one hit and striking out a batter in one inning. Southwestern, now 2-5 on the season, hosted South Ripley on Monday and travels to New Washington on Tuesday. The Rebels then head to Milan on Wednesday.

CARROLL KNOCKS OFF GRANT

Carroll County fended off a late rally to beat Grant County 10-6 at home on Friday.

Landon Isaacs was 3-for-3 with a double, an RBI and three runs scored. Zayne Satchwell had two hits, an RBI and a run, Branon Battaglia had a hit and three RBIs, and Braden Stephenson and Aden Stephenson each had a hit and two RBIs.

Braden Stephenson pitched all seven innings and allowed just one earned run on eight hits to get the win.

Carroll, now 8-6 on the season, hosts Owen County on Tuesday and then travels to Owen on Thursday. The Panthers visit Spencer County on Saturday.

LOCAL LEAGUES

HANOVER MEN'S SPRING BASKETBALL

Sunday, April 16

Patton's Pistols 66 , Pistol City Shooters 53 — Terry Stewart had 20 points for Patton's Pistols (5-0); Peyton Gwin had 21 for the Shooters (1-4).

Shipley's Presents Bomholt's Boys 106, The Madison Basketball Team 70 — Matt Williams scored 42 points for Bomholt's Boys (3-2); Caleb Bentley had 20 for the Madison Basketball Team (0-5).

Layman Insurance 77, The Nobodys 69 — Gunnary Henry had 23 for Layman (3-2); Deven Chatham had 10 for The Nobody's (0-5).

Too Cold 63, Madison Tool Mean Machine 61 — Trent Potter had 29 for Too Cold (3-2); Tryston Wheatley had 25 for the Mean Machine (3-2).

Showtime 58, No Name 54 — Gary Mouser had 19 for Showtime (3-2); Quenton White had 21 for No Name (4-1).

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TENNIS ROUNDUP

Rebels place 2nd at Covington Invitational

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Southwestern's Emma Hatton and Ava Barnes each claimed individual championships and the Rebels finished second as a team in the Covington Invitational on Saturday.

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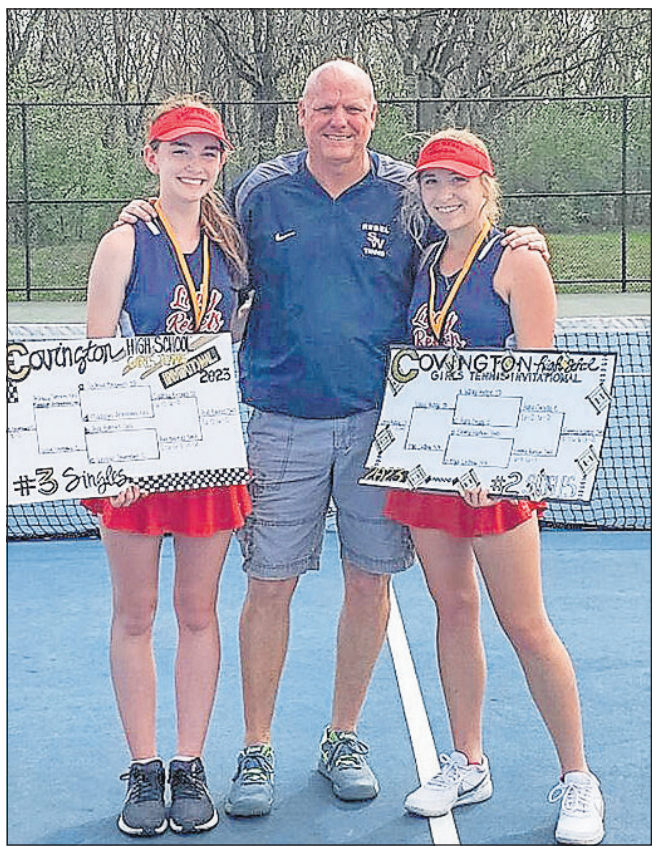
On Wednesday, Southwestern gutted out a 3-2 win over Austin at home.

Hatton picked up a victory at No. 2 singles, beating Lydia Luedeman 6-1, 6-2, while Barnes knocked off Bayleigh Schepman 6-7, 6-4, 6-1 at No. 3 singles. Autumn Gross and Natalie LaRue teamed up to beat Ashley Rice and Evelyn Ousley 6-4, 6-3 at No. 1 doubles to clinch the team win.

"Emma, Ava and one dubs came ready to play," Southwestern coach Kenny Garrett said. "Emma made quick work at two singles, only giving up three games. Autumn and Natalie played maybe their best match of the year with some really impressive shots. Ava took the long road today playing three sets but her mental toughness continues to impress as she closed with a solid 6-1 third set to give us the win."



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Southwestern's Ava Barnes (left) and Emma Hatton (right) stand with head coach Kenny Garrett after winning championships in the Covington Invitational on Saturday.

Syrenia Hardy lost 6-2, 6-0 to Brynn Owens at No. 1 singles while Raygan Crawford and Kaylee Hite fell 4-6, 6-4, 6-4 to Emma Mains and Alley Davidson in No. 2 doubles.

Southwestern hosted Milan on Monday and travels to South Dearborn on Tuesday. The Rebels then head to Borden on Wednesday before competing in the Southern Indiana Tennis Conference championships at Shawe on Saturday.

TOPPERS FALL TO LAWRENCEBURG

Shawe suffered a 5-0 loss at Lawrenceburg on Thursday.

In singles, Lauren Grote lost 6-2, 6-2 to Elle McMullen in No. 1, Sarah Willhite fell 4-6, 6-3, (10-4) to Jenna May at No. 2 and Kelly McClure lost 6-3, 6-1 to Emma Kammeyer at No. 3.

In doubles, Carson Cooke and Julia Leatherman lost 6-1, 6-2 to Lola Safaviyan and Ella Shelton at No. 1 and Autumn Lathrem and Natalia Skarznska lost 6-0, 6-1 to Sarah McNew and Kelsey Offutt.

Shawe, now 2-3 on the season, hosts Christian Academy of Indiana on Thursday.

The Hilltoppers then host the SITC Tournament on Saturday.

CUBS 3RD AT PAOLI

Madison girls tennis picked up its first win of the season and finished third in the Paoli Invitational on Saturday.

The Cubs knocked off Tell City for the win.

Madison travels to Jeffersonville on Tuesday and heads to Columbus East on Thursday before hosting Jennings County on Friday.

True's even-par leads Madison to victory in Jennings Co. Invite

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Madison boys golf picked up its first win of the season by shooting an impressive 302 to claim the Jennings County Invitational at St. Annes Golf Course in North Vernon on Saturday.

Madison hosted Floyd Central and Southwestern traveled to South Ripley, both on Monday. Southwestern then hosts Shawe and New Washington on Wednesday.

The Cubs beat out 11 different teams to claim the title, including Cathedral, Greensburg and Columbus East.

Sophomore Landon True led the charge for the Cubs, shooting an even-par 71 to claim low-medalist honors. Henry Ashley placed fourth overall with a 75 and Clayton Benkert was fifth with a 76. Jackson Lynch had an 80 and Luke Barron an 83 to round out the scoring.

Southwestern placed 11th in the match with a 417. Blake Boley and Adam Boley each carded 99s to lead the Rebels while Wyatt Barker had a 101, Wayde Barker a 118 and Max Joseph a 119.

Greensburg finished second with a 315 while Shelbyville was third with a 326 and Cathedral was fourth with a 332.

On Thursday, Southwestern picked up a tri-meet win over Scottsburg and Clarksville in its home opener at Butler Falls Golf Course.

The Rebels shot a 191, led by Wyatt Barker who was the low-medalist with a 45. Jackson Taylor had a 46 for the Rebels, Blake Boley a 48 and Joseph a 48.

In non-scoring rounds for Southwestern, Adam Boley had a 52, Wayde Barker a 58, Jeremiah Loos a 59 and Elijah Boscia a 61.

"It's great to get our first win of the season and win at our home course. I thought everyone focused well on not letting smaller errors escalate into lost holes," Southwestern coach Matt Johnson said. "Wyatt and Jackson stepped up big tonight when we needed it. Our boys know they have each other's backs. When someone is off we have five others who can step up and finish strong."

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Carroll, Trimble track teams compete at Walton-Verona

BY THE COURIER STAFF

The track & field teams from Carroll County and Trimble County both competed in the Bearcat Clash at Walton-Verona on Friday evening.

Trimble senior Kinley Kunkel had the top local finish, running second in the girls 1600 meters in 5:33.51. The Raiders' Ricky Gray placed fifth in the boys 100 dash in 11.67.

Other top finishes for the Trimble girls were: Rebecca Kainer, 10th, 100 dash, 13.54; 400 relay, 18th, 1:00.76; and Adeline Howerton, 19th, high jump, 4-4.

Other top finishes for the Trimble boys were: Gray, sixth, long jump, 18-4.75; Patrick Kainer, seventh, long jump, 18-3.5; and Owen Jackson, 13th, 100 dash, 11.93.

Top finishes for the Carroll boys were: Evan Searcy, fifth, shot put, 44-5.25 and eighth, discus, 110-6; 800 relay, 11th, 1:42.22; and Bryson Chadwell, 12th, 37-11.

Top finishes for the Carroll girls were: 400 relay, 15th, 59.19; 800 relay, 15th, 2:08.33; Macie Miller, 22nd, high jump, 4-2; and Makayla Keithley, 28th, long jump, 11-1.

Carroll County competes in the North Central Kentucky Track Conference championships on Tuesday at Henry County and in the Grant County Invitational on Friday.

Trimble's next meet will be the North Central Kentucky Conference championships at Walton-Verona on April 27.

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STATE OF INDIANA
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IN RE: THE ESTATE OF MAXWELL R. JONES, DECEASED.
NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION TO BE PUBLISHED
In the Court of Madison County, Indiana.
Notice is hereby given that on 10th March, 2023, Michael R. Jones Sr. was appointed Personal Representative of the Estate of Maxwell R. Jones, deceased, who died testate on September 21, 2022.
All persons who have claims against this estate, whether or not now due, must file the claim in the office of the clerk of this court within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this notice, or within nine (9) months after the decedent's death, whichever is earlier, or the claims will be forever barred.
Dated in Anderson, Indiana, on 10th March, 2023.
/s/ Linda S Smith
Clerk, Madison County Court
ATTORNEY FOR PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE
Lisa M. Dillman
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NOTICE OF ADOPTION
To the Taxpayers of Jefferson County, Indiana.
You are hereby notified that on April 11th, 2023, County Council, Jefferson County, Indiana, pursuant to notice heretofore given, and under and by virtue of IC3-11-6, duly adopted a plan whereby a Cumulative Voting System Fund was established to provide for the following:
For all uses as set out in IC 3-11-6
The fund will be provided for by a property tax rate of $.013 per one hundred dollars ($100.00) of taxable real and personal property within the taxing unit beginning in 2023 payable 2024 and thereafter, continuing until reduced or rescinded.
25 or more taxpayers in the taxing unit who will be affected by the tax rate and corresponding levy may file a petition with the Jefferson County Auditor not later than noon 30 days after the publication of this Notice setting forth their objections to the proposed cumulative fund. Upon the filing of the petition, the County Auditor shall immediately certify the same to the Department of Local Government Finance, at which point the Department will fix a date for and conduct a public hearing on the proposed cumulative fund before issuing its approval, disapproval, or modification thereof.
Dated this 11th day of April, 2023
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Housing Authority of Carrollton
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Carrollton, Kentucky 41008
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Additional information is provided in the bidding documents. Copies of the bidding documents must be purchased at the following location to be eligible to submit a bid for this project.
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A Pre-Bid Conference will be held on April 19, 2023, at 11:00 a.m. (local time) at the Housing Authority's main office for purposes of answering Bidders' questions and to consider any suggestions.
The Housing Authority of Carrollton By: Pat Baker, Executive Director

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TO THE OWNERS OF THE WITHIN DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE AND ALL INTERESTED PARTIES
NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of Circuit Court of Jefferson County, Indiana, in Cause No. 39C01-2203-MF-000200 wherein NewRez LLC d/b/a Shellpoint Mortgage Servicing was Plaintiff, and David Shane Baker A/K/A David S. Baker; Judi A. Baker A/K/A Judi Ann Baker A/K/A Judi Ann Rumage; Receivables Management Partners, LLC Assignee of KDH; State of Indiana were Defendants, requiring me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree with interest and cost, I will expose at public sale to the highest bidder, on the 25 day of May, 2023, at the hour of 10AM or as soon thereafter as is possible, at 317 S. Walnut St. Madison, IN 47250, the fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate in Jefferson County, Indiana.
All of Lot No. 87, consisting of 70 feet frontage, and 35 feet of the West side of Lot No. 88, (making a total of 105 feet frontage), in Volz Hanover Addition see plat dated October 19, 1954 and recorded in Plat Book 2, page 20 in the Recorder's Office of Jefferson County, Indiana.
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Plaintiff Attorney
ATTORNEY NO. 15-21-03086
Codilis Law, LLC
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Merrillville, IN 46410
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Sheriff of Jefferson County
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By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of Jefferson Circuit Court of Jefferson County, Indiana, in Cause No. 39C01-2204-MF-000301 wherein Ruoff Mortgage Company, Inc. was Plaintiff, and Lynsy D. Lamb was a Defendant, required me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree with interest and cost, I will expose at public sale to the highest bidder, on the 25 day of May, 2023, at the hour of 10:00 am, or as soon thereafter as is possible, at 317 South Walnut Street, Madison, IN 47250, the fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate in Jefferson County, Indiana.
BEING A PART OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 18, TOWNSHIP 3 NORTH, RANGE 9 EAST, REPUBLICAN TOWNSHIP, JEFFERSON COUNTY, INDIANA, AND MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:BEGINNING AT A P.K. NAIL (SET THIS SURVEY) IN THE APPROXIMATE CENTERLINE OF STATE ROAD #56 MARKING THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SAID SECTION 18; THENCE WITH SAID CENTERLINE, SOUTH 89°35'28" WEST, 150.00 FEET TO A P.K. NAIL (SET THIS SURVEY); THENCE LEAVING STATE ROAD #56 SOUTH 00°44'49" EAST, 363.00 FEET TO A 5/8" REBAR (SET THIS SURVEY), PASSING THROUGH A 5/8" REBAR (SET THIS SURVEY) AT 25.95 FEET; THENCE NORTH 89°35'28" EAST, 150.00 FEET TO A 5/8" REBAR (SET THIS SURVEY) IN A FENCE ROW; THENCE WITH THE FENCE ROW, NORTH 00°44'49" WEST, 363.00 FEET TO THE TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING. CONTAINING 1.250 ACRES, MORE OR LESS.
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Parcel No. 39-14-18-000-001.004-011
Together with rents, issues, income and profits thereof, said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisement laws.
/s/BRYAN K. REDMOND
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Plaintiff Attorney Ben Flint, Sheriff
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TO THE OWNERS OF THE WITHIN DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE AND ALL INTERESTED PARTIES
NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of Circuit Court of Jefferson County, Indiana, in Cause No. 39C01-2207-MF-000502 wherein U.S. Bank National Association was Plaintiff, and The Unknown Heirs at Law of Amanda R. Huttsell, Deceased a/k/a Amanda R. McCoy and Vanderbilt Mortgage and Finance, Inc., was Defendant, requiring me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree with interest and cost, I will expose at public sale to the highest bidder, on the **25th** day of **May, 2023**, at the hour of **10:00 a.m.** or as soon thereafter as is possible, at 317 South Walnut Street, Madison, IN 47250, the fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate in Jefferson County, Indiana.
The following described real estate located in Jefferson County, Indiana, to-wit: Tract I: A part of the Southeast Quarter of Section 4, Township 5 North, Range 9 East, and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a point 952 feet South of the Northeast corner of the said Southeast Quarter and on the quarter section line; thence North 150 feet; thence due West 290 feet; thence due South 150 feet; thence East 290 feet to the place of beginning. Containing one acre, more or less. EXCEPTING THEREFROM the following described real estate, to wit: Being a part of the Southeast Quarter of Section 4, Township 5 North, Range 9 East, Lancaster Township, Jefferson County, Indiana, and described as follows: Commencing in the center of County Road 700 West at the Northeast corner of the Southeast Quarter of Section 4, marked by a 1/2" rebar; thence South 0°22'00" west, 802.00 feet to a R.R. spike and THE TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING; thence South 0°22'00" West, 114.83 feet to a R.R. spike; thence North 47°11'04" West, 170.14 feet to a R.R. spike; thence South 89°39'00" East, 125.54 feet to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING. Containing 0.165, more or less. (For this exception see Deed Record 174, Page 1475, in the Recorder's Office of Jefferson County, Indiana.) Under such Deed, grantors, Charles D. Vance and Linda Carroll Vance, reserved unto themselves and their successors a perpetual easement for the purposes of ingress and egress across the existing gravel drive to provide accessibility to the land lying to the West of said gravel drive. Tract II: Also a part of the Southeast Quarter of Section 4, Township 5 North, Range 9 East, described as follows: Commencing at the center line of County Road 700 W at the Southeast corner of Section 4, being marked by a R.R. spike; thence N 0°22'35" E, 655.73 feet to a railroad spike; thence N 0°22'00" E, 1033.93 feet to a railroad spike and the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING; thence N 87°59'27" W, 290.12 feet to a 1/2" rebar, thence N 0°22'00" E, 10.77 feet to a point; thence S 89°38'00" E, 290.00 feet to a point; thence S 0°22'00" W, 19.09 feet to the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING. Containing 0.099 acres, more or less.
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HANOVER ROUNDUP

Panthers sweep baseball DH from Earlham

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Hanover claimed back-to-back baseball wins for just the third time this season thanks to a doubleheader sweep of Earlham Saturday on the road.

The Panthers posted an 11-5 win in the first game then scored a 17-6 win in game two.

Eric Roudebush was 3-for-4 with a triple, Jacob Dupps had a home run, a double and six RBIs and Alex Christie was 2-for-5 with a home run and three RBIs in the game one win. Matthew Alter gave up three earned runs on seven hits in seven innings for the win.

Hanover banged out 17 hits in the second game. Dupps was 5-for-5 with a double and six RBIs while Christie, Jake Danneman and Spencer Martinelle each hit home runs. Marcus Goodpaster allowed one earned runs on seven hits in six innings for the win.

Hanover, now 10-17 overall and 4-7 in the Heartland Collegiate Athletic Conference, begins a three-game series at Transylvania on Saturday.

MEN'S TENNIS SWEEPS PAIR

Hanover men's tennis scored a pair of 9-0 wins over HCAC foes Earlham and Anderson over the weekend.

Hanover beat Earlham on Saturday. Doubles teams Joey Keal and Charley Williams, and Jedrek Brodzki and Abhay Singh each got wins. Keal, Brodzki, Vincent Jaouen and Ilya Gromochenko each got wins in singles.

Hanover then beat Anderson on Sunday. Keal and Williams, Brodzki and Singh, and Jaouen and Rodolfo Jacome each picked up doubles wins. Keal, Brodzki, Singh, Rouen, Gromochenko and Williams each won in singles.

Hanover, now 7-6 overall and 5-0 in the HCAC, wraps up the regular season on Saturday at home against Rose-Hulman. The HCAC Tournament begins on Saturday, April 29.

SOFTBALL SPLITS WITH ANDERSON

Hanover split a doubleheader with Anderson, losing 4-0 and winning 13-7 on the road in softball on Saturday.

Dani Steward was 2-for-3 with a double and Kensie Bradley added a hit in the opener. Lauren Beaman allowed three earned runs on five hits in six innings for the loss.

Hanover's bats came alive in the game-two win. Sydnie Raisor was 3-for-4 with a double, three RBIs and two runs scored for the Panthers, Cadence Northern was 3-for-5 with a double, two RBIs and two runs scored, Sam Osborne was 2-for-4 with a double, three RBIs and a run, and Steward was 2-for-3 with a double and two RBIs.

Courtney Chookie gave up four earned runs on six hits in five and a third innings for the win.

Hanover, now 14-18 overall and 6-4 in the HCAC, heads to Defiance for two games on Saturday.

LACROSSE UNBEATEN IN HCAC

Hanover men's lacrosse scored a 12-7 win over Anderson on Saturday to remain unbeaten in HCAC play.

Colin O'Brien scored eight goals to lead the Panthers. Alex Kleinhelter had two goals and Dirk Meinhart had a goal and three RBIs.

Lance Guttormson had 19 saves in goal.

On Sunday, Hanover lost 18-8 to Concordia (Wisconsin) in a non-conference game.

Kleinhelter had two goals and an assist and Owen Cuniffe had two goals to lead the Panthers. Guttormson had 24 saves.

Hanover, now 6-7 overall and 3-0 in the HCAC, closes out the regular season at Spalding on Friday.

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Phillies score 9 in first on way to 14-3 drubbing of Reds

CINCINNATI — The Philadelphia Phillies bounced back from one of their worst losses of the season to quickly take control on the way to a 14-3 drubbing of the Cincinnati Reds and earn a split of their four-game series on Sunday.

Bryson Stott hit a lead-off home run, Brandon Marsh had four hits, Trea Turner and Alec Bohm each had three hits for the Phillies.

Jake Cave tied his career high with four runs batted in as the hot-and-cold Phillies reached double figures in runs for the second time in less than a week.

They beat Miami 15-3 on Monday.

The defending National League champions piled up a season-high 23 hits and have won two of their last three games after dropping four of five.

Aaron Nola (1-2) gave up five hits and three runs, two earned, with three walks and four strikeouts in six innings. He had started a game with such a large lead.

Philadelphia needed only two pitches to avoid a second straight shut-out. Stott hit Luis Cessa's second pitch of the game 378 feet into the right field seats.

Cave drove in three runs with a bases-loaded double and five other Phillies each had an RBI during the outburst.

Cessa (0-2) allowed a career-high 14 hits and 11 runs with three walks and no strikeouts in a season-low three innings.

REDS 6, PHILLIES

CINCINNATI — Wil Myers hit a pair of run-scoring singles and the Cincinnati Reds beat the Philadelphia Phillies 6-2 on Thursday night.

Spencer Steer, Tyler Stephenson and Jose Barrero drove in runs for the Reds, who had lost six of seven after a 3-1 start — the last four all by one run.

Kyle Schwarber became the first left-handed batter to hit a home run off Nick Lodolo (2-0), a left-hander in his second major league season.

Lodolo allowed two runs and eight hits in five innings.

"It is a different type of satisfaction," Lodolo said. "It was definitely a grind. It is not how you draw it up, but I'm happy with the result over all. I kept us in the game there and the bullpen was able to come in and throw the ball really well."

Cincinnati took a 4-1 lead in the third with five singles, four of them in a row, all with two outs. Steer, Stephenson and Myers drove in runs.

PHILLIES 8, REDS 3

CINCINNATI — Taijuan Walker pitched six efficient innings, Philadelphia scored five runs in the first three innings and the Phillies beat the Cincinnati Reds 8-3 on Friday night to snap a three-game losing streak.

Walker (1-1) rode the early lead to his longest outing of the season, allowing four hits and one run. He struck out three and walked two.

Edmundo Sosa hit his second homer of the season for the defending National League champion Phillies.

Seranthony Domínguez and José Alvaredo combined to pitch the seventh and eighth, and Connor Brogdon worked the ninth.

Jake Fraley delivered Cincinnati's only run against Walker with a third-inning RBI single.

The Phillies pounced Connor Overton (0-1) with single runs in the first and second innings before a three-run outburst in the third.

The right-hander managed a season-low three innings, getting roughed up for five runs for the second time this season on five hits with three walks and no strikeouts.

His earned-run average over his first three starts ballooned to 11.45.

REDS 13, PHILLIES 0

CINCINNATI — Wil Myers' slow start in a Cincinnati Reds uniform is now a distant memory.

The 11-year veteran, who signed with the Reds in December, went 4 for 5 with two home runs and five RBIs on Saturday, and the Reds rode a stout pitching performance by Graham Ashcraft to a 13-0 win over the Philadelphia Phillies.

Ashcraft (2-0, 1.42 ERA) allowed just four hits in six scoreless innings to stay perfect on the young season.

The Reds (6-8) have now played six of its first 14 games against the Phillies (5-10).

The two clubs split the six meetings.

Myers tagged Philadelphia starter Matt Strahm (1-1) with a home run in the second inning to put Cincinnati on the board first.

The solo shot to left field marked Myers' first of the season.

After fouling a pitch off his foot, Jonathan India made it a 5-0 game on a double that scored José Barrero who reached on a walk and then stole second.

Myers brought home another runner in the fifth on an RBI-double to left. Myers' damage this time came against reliever McKinley Moore.

The two-base hit jump-started a three-run inning for the Reds.

COURIERAREA SPORTS SHORTS

BY THE COURIER STAFF

• Southwestern junior varsity tennis competed in the Covington Invitational on Saturday.

Jocelyn Johnson, Adrea Earl and Afton Kuppler each picked up wins in singles. Jaclyn Jackson and Emily Keeton, and Ashia Seay and Lily Eggenspiller scored wins in doubles.

• The S.W.A.T. Blue Fins swim club is holding sign-ups and tryouts at the Southwestern High School pool on Monday, April 24 through Wednesday, April 26.

Tryouts are 6:30-7:30 p.m. daily.

The Blue Fins are designed to be a safe, fun environment for both new and experienced swimmers. It is not intended to teach beginner swim lessons, although private swim lessons are available.

Cost is $125 per swimmer and includes insurance, team shirt, team cap and team suit. The league runs May 1 through June 24.

For more information, call Jay Crawford at 812-599-8093 or Shelly Hamilton had 812-701-2100.

• Registration is underway for the Molly Dattilo 5K Run/Walk to held Saturday, May 13, beginning and finishing at Bicentennial Park in downtown Madison.

In the 5K run, there will be awards for male and female runners in age categories.

The 5K run begins at 8 a.m. with the 5K walk starting at 8:05 a.m.

There will also be elementary races — 9:15 a.m. with the half-mile girls run for Kindergarten through third grade, 9:30 a.m. with the half-mile boys run for Kindergarten through third grade, 9:45 a.m. with the one-mile girls run for grades 3-6, and the 10 a.m. one-mile run boys run for grades 3-6.

Entry fee for the 5K Run/Walk is $25 that includes a shirt with that fee increasing to $30 on race day.

Entry fee for student races with a T-shirt is $14 and without a shirt is $7.

Entry forms are available at various locations throughout the city including businesses, schools, the library, City Hall and the Madison Visitor Center.

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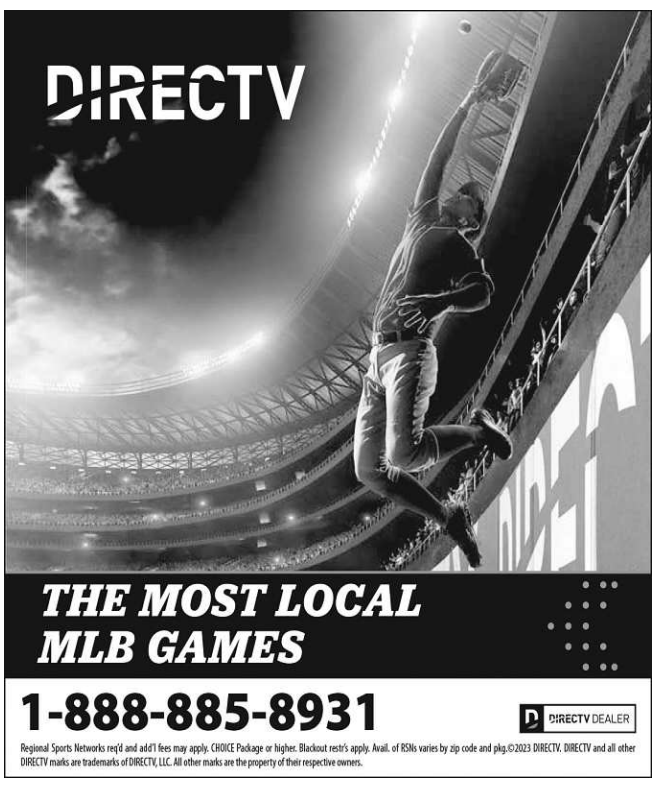
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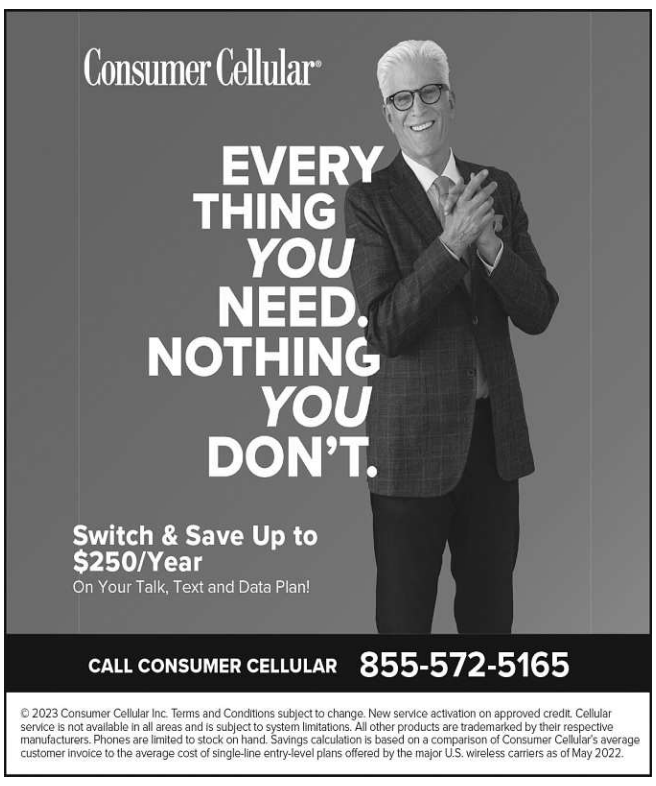
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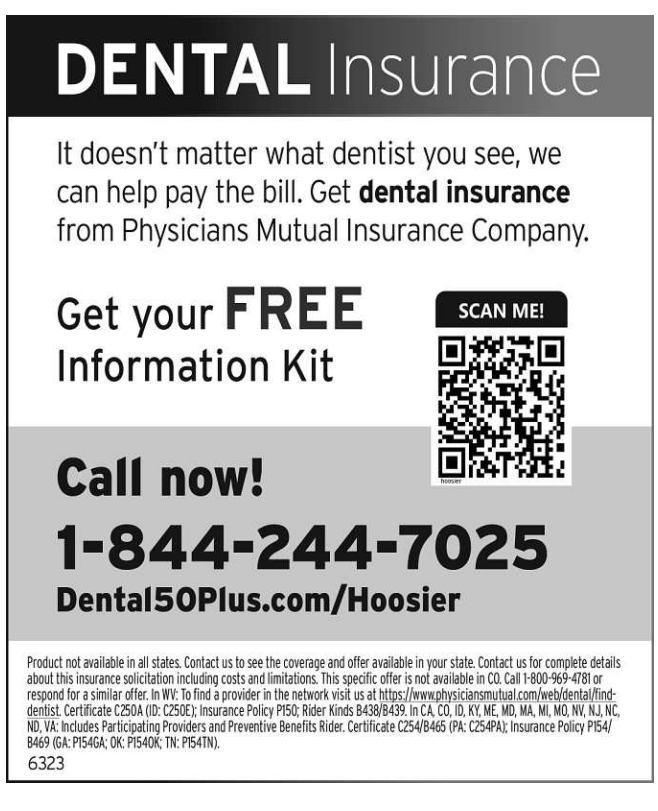
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Skoronski stands apart in NFL draft class of legacy players

BY MICHAEL MAROT
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INDIANAPOLIS — Peter Skoronski looks like a custom-built NFL offensive lineman.

He stands 6-foot-4, weighs 313 pounds and has 10-inch hands. He earned all-Big Ten honors three straight years at Northwestern, was named the league's top lineman last season and honed his skills by working against defensive lineman Adetomiwa Adebawore, another top draft prospect.

Yet he might not even be the best player in a family where the football bloodlines run deep.

Peter's father, Bob Jr., was a star defensive lineman at Yale in the 1970s. His great uncles, Gene and Ted, played at Harvard in the 1960s. And now there's about to be a new branch on the family tree as Peter follows his grandfather, Bob, the offensive captain on Vince Lombardi's five championship teams, into the NFL.

Yes, even in a draft class full of family ties, Skoronski and his stories stand apart.

"There was the one when he was getting ice cream with his family, my dad and uncles and aunt," Skoronski said. "Lombardi was on him about keeping his weight down, stuff like that. He was getting ice cream and Lombardi walked into the ice cream shop, he saw him and hid the cone behind his back so Lombardi wouldn't see him eating the ice cream."

Back then, the blindside protector of Hall of Fame quarterback Bart Starr weighed a svelte 249 pounds. Today, the youngest Skoronski hears more about short arms and a possible move from tackle to guard than his eating habits.

He's certainly not alone in this landscape, where plenty of other draft hopefuls have embarked on similar journeys and show up with the tales to prove it.

Cornerback Joey Porter Jr. still remembers doing one-on-one drills against then Steelers receiver Antonio Brown. As a college sophomore, Jalen Wayne started taking pointers from his second cousin, Hall of Fame nominee Reggie Wayne.

Running back Keaton Mitchell talks about winning a Super Bowl ring like his father, Anthony, did with the Baltimore Ravens. Running back Bijan Robinson, like Skoronski, represents his grandfather, Cleo, a former college linebacker and longtime Pac-12 official who grew up in extreme poverty and had no running water. Cleo Robinson's brother, Paul, made two Pro Bowls with the Cincinnati Bengals.

Defensive end Viliami Fehoko Jr. often draws questions about whether he's related to the Haka-dancing, football-playing Fehoko family and former University of Hawaii entertainer Vili the Warrior. He's not. But he is a second cousin of Tampa Bay Buccaneers defensive tackle Vita Vea.

"I get that question like 10 times a day," Fehoko said when asked about the other Fehoko family. "Vita kind of set the tone for our family, football-wise. Just seeing the family do it at the next level, at the highest level you can, is motivating for me."

Defensive line prospects PJ Mustipher and BJ Ojulari also could be reunited with their NFL playing brothers, Sam Mustipher, formerly of the Chicago Bears, and Azeez Ojulari of the New York Giants. Or they could just be establishing another round of sibling rivalries.

Either way, the younger brothers refuse to back down in the constant pursuit for bragging rights.

"Everything we did growing up, we competed," BJ Ojulari said. "Playing video games, we used to butt heads all the time. At the end of the day, I think that made us closer. He's one of my best friends and best mentors now."

But for some, this is more than just a pursuit to showcase the next chapter in the family legacy. The challenge is exceeding the standards set by relatives like Porter's father, an energetic one-time Super Bowl champ and two-time All-Pro.

The elder Porter finished his career with 98 sacks, 43rd all-time, and is still No. 5 on the Steelers career list with 60.

"My dad's been there before," Porter Jr. said. "He's done it. I want to do the same thing and just be better. That's the main thing. He always told me he wants me to be better than him, so that's what I'm going to strive to do and that's why I'm here."

Skoronski knows how difficult that challenge will be for him if the measuring stick is his grandfather, who died in 2018 following a battle with Alzheimer's disease.

But Peter Skoronski's ultimate goal was never about outperforming his grandfather.

He just wants to put the cherry on top of the Skoronski playbook in a manner that would make his late ice cream-eating grandfather and the late Lombardi both celebrate — even if it means giving up his lifelong Packers fandom to play for the dreaded Chicago Bears.

"He's sort of been my football mentor ever since I was born. I just always looked up to him and wanted to follow in his footsteps," the youngest Skoronski said. "This is a dream continuing in his legacy, him being part of such great teams and winning two Super Bowls and five championships. That's sort of a Skoronski family legend."

AP sources: Snyder agrees to $6.05B sale of NFL's Commanders

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Dan Snyder has a deal in place to sell the NFL's Washington Commanders for the biggest price paid for a North American professional sports team.

A group led by Josh Harris and Mitchell Rales that includes Magic Johnson has an agreement in principle to buy the team for a record $6.05 billion, two people with knowledge of the situation told The Associated Press on Thursday.

The people confirmed the deal was a fully financed, nonexclusive agreement that was not yet signed. The people spoke on condition of anonymity because the deal hasn't been finalized.

Another person told The AP a deal hasn't been sent to the NFL for approval yet. The league declined to comment.

Once the deal is approved, Harris would own controlling stakes in teams in three of the four major North American pro sports leagues. He and David Blitzer have owned the NBA's Philadelphia 76ers since 2011 and the NHL's New Jersey Devils since 2013.

Harris has owned a piece of the Pittsburgh Steelers, which he needs to sell before getting the Commanders.

The price for the Commanders tops the previous record of $4.65 billion set when Walmart heir Rob Walton's group bought the Denver Broncos last year. Johnson, the basketball Hall of Famer who also owns part of Major League Baseball's Los Angeles Dodgers, was also part of Harris' bid for the Broncos.

Rales, co-founder of the Danaher Corp. and a Maryland resident, and Johnson were relatively late additions to the group. Rales and Harris grew up in Bethesda in the Washington suburbs and give the team local ownership roots. The sale of the Commanders is pending the execution of a contract and then approval from the rest of the league's owners, which could happen as soon as their next meeting in Minnesota in May but may take longer. It would need 24 of 32 votes to pass, which is not expected to be a problem after the Broncos sale was unanimously approved and given that Snyder was beginning to fall out of favor with the group.

Snyder bought his boyhood favorite team in 1999 for $750 million and despite mounting criticism repeatedly said he'd never sell.

That changed after multiple investigations by the league and Congress into Washington's workplace misconduct and potential improprieties.

The congressional investigation found Snyder played a role in a toxic culture.

Indianapolis Colts owner Jim Irsay in October became the first to suggest there was "merit to remove" Snyder, a nearly unprecedented move that would have also taken a three-quarters majority to happen. Instead, two weeks later, Snyder and wife Tanya hired Bank of America Securities to explore a possible sale of the team.

It quickly became apparent the Snyders, who bought out the previous minority owners in 2021, were not looking to maintain a controlling interest. Canadian investor Steve Apostolopoulos and Houston Rockets owner Tilman Fertitta were among the other bidders after early interest from Washington-area businessman Todd Boehly and mortgage executive Mat Ishbia, who instead paid $4 billion for the NBA's Phoenix Suns and WNBA's Mercury.

The group led by Apostolopoulos was the only other one to submit a fully financed bid.

Lawyers representing over 40 former team employees hailed the news of an agreement in principle, saying it "marks the end of a long, difficult chapter" for their clients and fans. Lisa Banks and Debra Katz welcomed the new owners and said they "hope a new chapter can truly begin" within the organization.

Harris and Rales will soon assume control of a once-storied franchise that has fallen far from its 1980s and early '90s glory days, when Washington won the Super Bowl three times. With Snyder in charge, the team made the playoffs just six times in 24 seasons, only twice won a postseason game and went 166-226-2 overall.

The new owners will inherit coach Ron Rivera, who has run Washington's football operations for three seasons, none with a winning record, including an NFC East title at 7-9 in 2020 followed by a first-round loss.

Their biggest immediate challenge for the long-term future of the organization is a new stadium to replace FedEx Field, the rushed-to-completion home of the team since 1997 in Landover, Maryland, that has not aged well. Virginia abandoned a stadium bill last spring given the number of off-field controversies swirling around the team.

Getting fans back is a major priority after Washington ranked last in the league in attendance in 2022 and were second-last in 2021. The team rebranded last year as the Commanders after dropping the name Redskins in the summer of 2020 and going by the Washington Football Team for two seasons.

It was not immediately clear what latitude Harris and Rales might have to make their own changes to the team name, logo or other aspects of design, or if they have any interest in changing course when they take over.

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Other top finishes for the Madison boys were: Eli Dodge, third, 200 dash, 23.53 and fifth, 100 dash, 11.54; Travis Hoffman, third, 1600 run, 4:53.08; Logan Ferris, third, 3200 run, 10:57.64; 3200 relay, third, 9:25.80; L.J. Harvey, fourth, 110 hurdles, 18.95; Taye LaBolt, fourth, high jump, 5-4; Eli Storm, fourth, pole vault, 8-6; Ben Crouch, fifth, 400 dash, 55.68; John Michael Crouch, fifth, 800 run, 2:11.38; Bryce Miller, fifth, discus, 112-7; 400 relay, fifth, 48.38; and 1600 relay, fifth, 3:53.75.

Other top finishes for Southwestern's boys were: Garrett Johnson, second, 110 hurdles, 17.41 and fourth, 300 hurdles, 48.04; and Harmon, third, discus, 121-11.

Top finishes for Southwestern's girls were: Tori Gammons, second, 400 dash, 1:05.89; 3200 relay, fourth, 11:41.68; and 1600 relay, fifth, 5:02.93.

Top finishes for the Shawe boys were: Sam Fewell, fourth, 800 run, 2:10.49 and fifth, 1600 run, 4:55.99; and Wyatt Lundergan, fifth, long jump, 17-7.25.

Top finishes for the Shawe girls were: Kristyna Vaskova, fifth, 400 dash, 1:07.92 and ninth, 800 run, 2:57.74; and 400 relay, seventh, 1:00.62.

Top finishes for Switzerland County's boys were: Kadyn Riley, second, high jump, 5-6 and third, long jump, 18-0; 400 relay, third, 46.64; 1600 relay, fourth, 3:52.36; and 3200 relay, fourth, 9:26.18.

Top finishes for the Switzerland girls were: Gracie White, second, 800 run, 2:32.05 and fifth, 1600 run, 6:36.24; 1600 relay, second, 4:37.56; Lauren Smith, third, 100 dash, 13.23 and third, 200 dash, 28.01; Claire Rogers, third, 800 run, 2:39.13 and third, 3200 run, 13:28.07; and 400 relay, fourth, 54.97.

On Thursday, Madison competed in a dual meet at Greensburg.

Winners for the Madison boys were: Mason Davis, 100 dash, 11.57; Dodge, 200 dash, 23.63; Ferris, 800 run, 2:10.01; Hoffman, 1600 run, 5:26.27; Copeland, high jump, 5-10; Cox, pole vault, 14-4; 400 relay, 47.63; and 3200 relay, 9:35.39.

Winners for the Madison girls were: Molly Armbrecht, 100 dash, 13.67; Miller, 800 run, 2:50.40; Traylor, 3200 run, 11:50.07; Maya Kemp, 100 hurdles, 21.08; Gibson, high jump, 5-0; Burnett, long jump, 14-4.5; Combs, pole vault, 8-0; 400 relay, 54.31; and 3200 relay, 11:07.26.

Other top finishes for the Madison boys were: Dodge, second, 100 dash, 11.81; Ben Crouch, second, 400 dash, 56.71; John Michael Crouch, second, 800 run, 2:12.15; Ferris, second, 3200 run, 11:30.96; Peyton Obertate, second, 110 hurdles, 19.70; Davis, second, pole vault, 10-0; 1600 relay, second, 3:51.33; Max Thompson, third, 400 dash, 57.89; Layne Laufer, third, 1600 run, 5:30.00; and Jake Dyer, third, long jump, 16-11.

Other top finishes for the Madison girls were: Ross, second, 100 dash, 13.77; Cline, second, 200 dash, 28.28 and second, high jump. 5-0; Miller, second, 400 dash, 1:07.44; Addie Nott, second, 800 run, 3:10.13; Kailee Lock, second, 1600 run, 7:32.01; Sofia Bentz, second, 100 hurdles, 21.65; Rijnart, second, 300 hurdles, 58.58; 1600 relay, second, 4:52.86; Gibson, second, long jump, 14-4; Maggie Jester, third, 100 dash, 14.44; Bronkella, third, 200 dash, 31.21 and third, pole vault, 7-6; Kemp, third, 300 hurdles, 1:06.22; and Dart, third, discus, 90-01 and third, shot put, 34-10.

Also on Thursday, Switzerland County and Southwestern competed at Trinity Lutheran.

Winners for the Switzerland boys were: Nathan Furnish, 800 run, 2:14.41 and 1600 run, 5:07.54; Luke Sullivan, 3200 run, 13:18.77; 400 relay, 47.25; and 3200 relay, 10:20.93.

Winner for the Switzerland girls were: Smith, 100 dash, 13.88 and 200 dash, 29.13; White, 400 dash, 1:05.00 and 3200 run, 14:29.63; Rogers, 800 run, 2:37.32 and 1600 run, 5:50.95; Madison Hannan, 100 hurdles, 21.03; Amber Detmer, 300 hurdles, 1:04.51; Addy Preston, discus, 81-0 and shot put, 28-7.75; 400 relay, 55.03; 1600 relay, 4:41.26; and 3200 relay, 13:18.84.

Other top finishes for the Switzerland boys were: Matthew Davis, second, 100 dash, 12.03; Ty Lay, second, 200 dash, 25.02 and third, 100 dash, 12.09; Luke Sullivan, second, 1600 run, 5:38.32; Dylan Sullivan, second, 3200 run, 13:42.59; Riley, second, high jump, 5-4; 1600 relay, second, 4:02.30; Jalen Brookbank, third, 400 dash, 57.86; Cale Collier, third, 800 run, 2:24.59; and Matthew Young, third, 300 hurdles, 50.36.

Other top finishes for the Switzerland girls were: Avy Burkholder, second, 100 dash, 14.19 and second, 200 dash, 29.86; Smith, second, 400 dash, 1:08.25; Rogers, second, 3200 run, 14:57.46; Baylee Romans, second, high jump, 4-8; Terra Oeffinger, third, 100 hurdles, 21.90 and third, shot put, 26-2; and Macy Collier, third, high jump, 4-6.

Southwestern's Harmon won the high jump at five feet, four inches and Brady Cook won the 400 dash in 56.57. The Rebels also won the boys 1600 relay in 3:58.42.

Other top finishes for the Southwestern boys were: Joe Drossart, second, 800 run, 2:15.72; Harmon, second, 110 hurdles, 18.19, second, discus, 123-6 and second, shot put, 35-11; Kaeden Higgins, second, 300 hurdles, 48.04; 400 relay, second, 48.97; Connor Johnson, third, 200 dash, 25.30; and Isaac Watson, third, shot put, 35-11.

Top finishes for the Southwestern girls were: Gammons, second, 800 run, 2:42.25; Olivia Simpson,s second, 1600 run, 6:03.07 and third, 800 run, 2:53.80; 1600 relay, second, 4:46.10; Cadence Long, third, discus, 69-07; and 400 relay, third, 1:00.03.

Shawe and Switzerland County both return to action on Tuesday with Shawe competing at Oldenburg and Switzerland in the Tiger Relays at Lawrenceburg. Madison's next meet is on Thursday when it hosts Corydon and Brownstown. Shawe travels to Crothersville on Thursday and Southwestern heads to South Dearborn on Thursday.

COLLINS

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"Brad was the one who didn't let me quit, who kept pushing me and pushing me to get better," Collins said. "He was always there."

After a successful cross country season, Collins turned his attention to track. And although he had never run the 2-mile before, he was confident that he could be successful. He proved to be right.

Throughout the season, Collins got faster and faster and his winning time in the sectional was the fastest in the state. Winning the state finals was going to be a tall task; however, with 40 of the state's best runners competing shoulder to shoulder on a cinder track in the middle of a hot May afternoon.

Collins spent the first mile laying back, confident that his closing kick would be enough to power him to the win. After the leaders faded in the heat, Collins made his move and claimed victory in 9:17.20.

"They ran that event in the middle of the day and it was hot. That was (the leaders') mistake; they went out too fast and they just collapsed in the heat," Collins said. "I was confident that I was ready.

Collins took over the lead on the final lap and despite a late challenge from a rival, pulled away for the win.

"On that last lap, I just pretended I was running anchor in a relay. That's how I approached it," Collins said. "That race changed my life."

Collins stuck with the sport after college, becoming a teacher and serving a successful 30-plus year career as a coach at Charlestown High School. Now retired, he lives in Madison and helps out the cross country and track teams whenever needed.

"Many of my opportunities and the lifelong friends came to me through this sport. I got a free college education, which opened many doors," Collins said. "The sport teaches hundreds upon hundreds of young people and continues to evolve. The camaraderie you have with teammates and opponents is something that you will take with you for the rest of your life. I am very thankful."

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"Patoka fished tough yesterday," Indiana Bass Federation-High School South commissioner Bryan McCutcheon said. "It was tough yesterday. A lot of teams were on some fish but (the pattern) changed on them. A lot of fish were lost yesterday so they weren't eating real good."

The event also counted as the fifth and final points event for the 2022 season. With their weight, Trueblood and Field finished 14th of 51 competing high school teams.